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PERRY'S TERRIFIC STRUGGLE AGAINST SHIELDS IN DAVIS CUP STAMINA DECIDES GRIM DUEL

KWANGTUNG PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY CANTON MEMBERS ELECTED.

PROMINENT CITIZENS
(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, To-day.
Three delegates to represent Canton in the Kwangtung Provincial Assembly have been elected. They are:

Mr. Chin Shu-fan.
Mr. Wu Pak-liang.
Mr. Hu Wung-chao.

Dr. Chin Shu-fan, who holds the degree of Juris Doctor from the University of Chicago, is a noted Canton lawyer well-known in foreign circles. He took a prominent part in drafting and translating some of the proposals concerning the revision of the Canton-Kowloon Railway agreement.

Dr. Wu Pak-liang is a medical doctor from a French university, and was formerly Municipal Commissioner of Social Affairs. Related to the late Mr. Koo Ying-fan, veteran Kuomintang statesman, Dr. Wu recently made a tour of Europe and America.

Mr. Hu Wung-chao is believed to be a relative of Mr. Hu Han-min and the head of a tax-bureau here.

COOLIDGE CHEF SUCCUMBS.

Sequel To Fight On Kowloon Wharf.

OPERATION FOR FRACTURED LEG

Melville Mackenzie, a chef on board the a.s. President Coolidge, who was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital on July 6, following a fight with a fellow steward on the Kowloon Wharf, died yesterday following an operation on his leg, which was fractured during the fight.

Deceased, who was about 50 years of age, was a native of England.

The President Coolidge arrives in San Francisco to-day.

Arrangements for the funeral are delayed, pending the local office of the Dollar Line receiving instructions from their San Francisco office.

STANLEY BALDWIN'S SUCCESSOR.

Neville Chamberlain Is Second Acting Premier.

London, To-day.

Parliament has adjourned until October 30. When Mr. Stanley Baldwin, acting Premier in Mr. Ramsey MacDonald's absence, proceeds to Aix-les-Bains on August 8, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, who will spend his holidays in Scotland, will be acting Prime Minister. — Reuter.

PARLIAMENT RECESS

London, To-day.
Parliament adjourned yesterday afternoon for the summer recess. It will reassemble on October 13. — British Wireless Service.

INQUEST ON MR. PLEW

The inquest on the late Mr. W. L. Plew, who jumped from the top floor of the Gloucester Building, has been fixed for Tuesday at the Central Magistracy at 2.30 p.m.



Mr. J. E. Brownlee, former Premier of Alberta, who recently resigned after being found guilty in Edmonton on a charge of seduction preferred by Vivian MacMillan, 22, a former government employee.

HINDENBURG BAD PATIENT

LITTLE HELP GIVEN TO DOCTORS.

SURPRISE RELAPSE

Neudeck, To-day.
The news of President von Hindenburg's grave condition has come as a complete surprise. He was walking in the grounds two days ago and driving around Neudeck with his daughter-in-law.

Besides the four men doctors in attendance, Professor Bergmann, the famous woman doctor, is at his bedside.

President von Hindenburg is suffering from asthma, and is also partially paralysed. A contributing factor to the sudden worsening of the President's condition is his scorn for doctors and his persistent refusal to obey orders. — Reuter.

Hitler Returns To Berlin.

Berlin, To-day.
Chancellor Hitler has returned here from Bayreuth and convened a meeting of the Cabinet. The sale of the Deutsche Zeitung was forbidden yesterday, apparently on account of an article suggesting that Chancellor Hitler would fill President Von Hindenburg's post if it becomes vacant. — Reuter.

PANCHEN LAMA'S RETURN

Definitely Decides To Go Back To Tibet.

Shanghai, To-day.
Chinese sources in North China declare that the Panchen Lama has informed the press that he has definitely made up his mind to return to Tibet.

It is hoped that preparations for his return will be possible before the end of this year. If not, he will return early in 1935. — Reuter.

EASY FOR AUSTIN

BRITAIN HAS GREAT YEAR IN SPORT EVENTS

SHIELDS BATTLES FOR 140 MINS.

FOOT FAULT MENACE

London, To-day.

Britain retained the Davis Cup against the American challenge yesterday when Fred Perry and Bunny Austin won their remaining singles matches to give the holders a 4-1 triumph.

The year 1934 has been a great year for Britain in that Fred Perry and Dorothy Round won the two major Wimbledon titles and Henry Cotton won the British Open Golf Championship to give Britain her first success in eleven years in that competition.

The match between Perry and Shields yesterday was a long and desperate struggle, lasting two hours and twenty minutes, the last set taking over an hour, Perry running out for victory after 28 games.

Perry, playing a careful, waiting game, allowed Shields to make the mistakes.

The British champion came up to the net judiciously, and led 3-0, in the first set. The scores, however, went to 5-4 after some fine smashing on the part of the American, but Perry secured the next game for set.

Shields took the second set at 6-4, mainly on his opponent's errors.

AMERICAN FOOT FAULTS

In the third set, however, Perry took a firm grip on the game, and led 3-0, in spite of brilliant smashing by Shields.

In this set the American lost several points through foot-faulting and Perry won for the loss of only two games.

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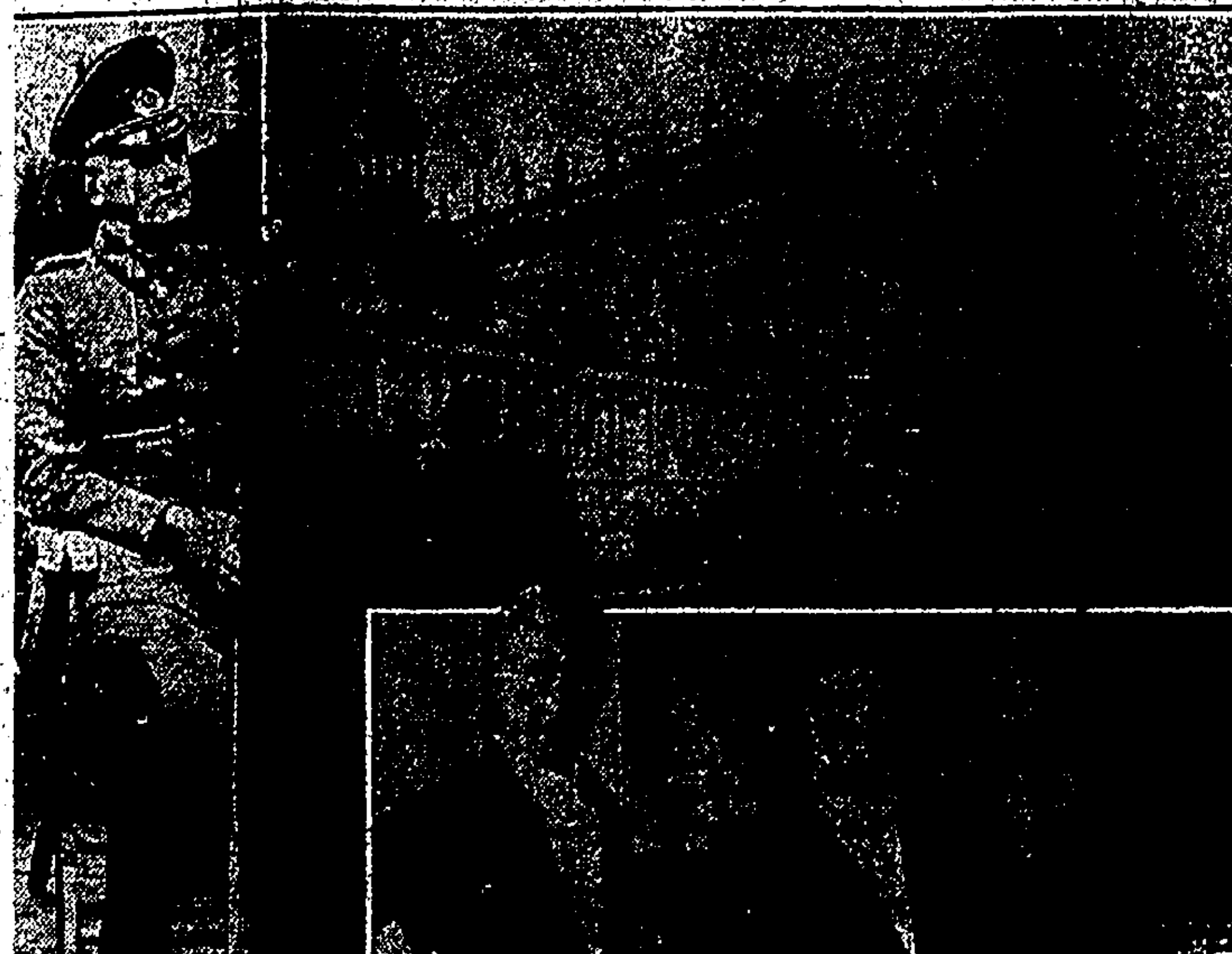
Complete results: —
F. J. Perry (Britain) beat S. B. Wood 6-1, 4-6, 5-7, 6-0, 6-3.
H. W. Austin (Britain) beat F. X. Shields 6-4, 6-4, 6-1.
G. M. Lott and L. R. Stoecken (U.S.) beat G. P. Hughes and H. G. N. Lee 7-5, 6-0, 4-6, 9-7.
F. J. Perry (Britain) beat F. X. Shields 6-4, 4-6, 6-2, 15-13.
H. W. Austin (Britain) beat S. B. Wood 6-4, 6-0, 6-8, 6-3.

STOP PRESS

DAVIS CUP.

It is reliably learned that South Africa's proposal to hold the Davis Cup biennially, which, it is understood, is supported by English and Australian delegates, was rejected by 12 votes to 11 at a private meeting of the Davis Cup Committee. Mr. Dwight Davis, donor of the trophy, attended and spoke against the resolution.

By a substantial majority the delegates voted against the existing qualifying competition, and a return to status quo was decided to ascertain the opinion of the absent countries, which, if they increase the vote, will result in the countries starting on the same footing in 1936. — Reuter.



A military dictatorship, probably with Lieut. Gen. Werner von Blomberg (left) at the head of it, and the return to power of the Hohenzollerns, are events forecasted in Germany by foreign observers as the sale of Chancellor Adolf Hitler was recently shaken by disension in the Nazi ranks. One of the three Wilhelmss, shown at right, the ex-Kaiser, his son or his grandson, will be occupant of throne in the Hohenzollern Palace (top) before 1935, it is predicted.

ROAD TRAFFIC BILL PASSED IN ENGLAND

FULL OPERATION TO BE DELAYED

DRIVING TESTS FOR MOTORISTS NOT YET SETTLED

London, To-day.

The road traffic bill, designed to reduce the appalling loss of life which is resulting in Great Britain, as elsewhere, from modern traffic conditions, became law yesterday. Some time will, however, elapse before its most striking features are put into operation.

The thirty mile an hour speed limit in built up areas, which has caused much discussion, is unlikely to become enforceable before next year, as local authorities have first to survey the thoroughfares affected.

The Minister of Transport has been given powers to fix the operative dates of the various sections.

Next Monday, August Bank Holiday, he intends to devote to studying holiday traffic, and will visit many of the danger spots round London.

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MR. J. A. WOODHEAD HONOURED.

Star Of India for Acting Governor of Bengal.

London, To-day.

His Majesty the King has been pleased to approve the appointment as a Knight Commander of the Order of the Star of India, on Mr. John Ackroyd Woodhead, who is to act as the Governor of Bengal during Sir John Anderson's absence on leave. — British Wireless Service.

TORRID WEATHER HARASSES ARKANSAS FARMERS

Vast Crops Devastated Under Temperature Of 106 Degrees

Arkansas, To-day.
Torrid weather, in the western States of America, a temperature of 106 degrees being recorded in many parts of Arkansas, yesterday, according to Messrs. White, Weld and Co., New York correspondents for Messrs. S. E. Levy and Company. Forecasts show no alleviation of the torrid conditions. Showery weather prevails in the east, where rain is not wanted.

Terrible crop devastation is reported from the south-west and the Western Spring Belts, where temperatures of over 100 degrees have been recorded daily for the past few weeks.

GOODWIN GAOLED

British Judge Visits Hankow.

FIRST TIME SINCE 1932

Hankow, To-day.

Mr. S. H. Goodwin, a British subject, was sentenced to seven months imprisonment with hard labour here yesterday, for fraudulent conversion.

The case necessitated the visit of Judge Mossop, of the British Court at Shanghai, and Mr. Victor Priestwood, the Crown Advocate.

This is the first time a British judge has had to visit Hankow since October 1932. — Reuter.

Mr. Tang Tung-cheng, the newly appointed Chinese Consul-General for Manila, will leave Nanking on August 14 to take up his new post.

Wheat Production Control To be Continued Despite Drought

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894, Received August 1, 8.31 a.m.)

Washington, To-day.
Despite the drought, Mr. George E. Farrell, chief of the Agriculture Adjustment Administration wheat section, has issued a statement declaring that the United States will continue production control.

He said that the drought was an abnormality on which no one could hope to base a programme.

The United States would reduce the crop less than now contemplated, only if other countries fail to curtail production control efforts. — United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.
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U.S. STEEL CORPORATION DIVIDEND

UNALTERED DESPITE VAST PROFITS.

RE-STOCKING SURPLUS

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894, Received August 1, 8.31 a.m.)

New York, To-day.
The United States Steel Corporation has declared a dividend of 50 cents on preferred stock, the same as paid in recent quarters.

The Corporation reports a net profit of U.S.\$5,350,241 for the second quarter, as compared with a loss of U.S.\$6,989,965 for the preceding quarter of U.S.\$3,627,367 for the corresponding quarter of last year.

This profit is equivalent to U.S.\$1.48 per share on preferred stock and is the highest figure since the first quarter of 1931 and the first time since the third quarter of 1931 that anything has been earned on preferred stock.

The President of the Corporation, Mr. Taylor, said that due to the preferred dividends being taken from the undivided surplus for nearly three years, plus the present reduced demand for steel products, the directors had decided not to change the 50 cent rate.
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REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT

Spanish Rumours Of Uprising.

Madrid, To-day.

The Spanish press is to-day filled with rumours of an approaching revolutionary movement, the Right Party accusing the Socialists and vice versa.

The Minister of Interior, who recently conferred with the police chiefs, announces that he has taken steps to crush and uprising. — Reuter.

S. W. B. DRUMMER RETURNS

Andrew Manuel Coase, the South Wales Borderers drummer, who departed at 5.30 p.m. on Saturday, returned to barracks this afternoon. A warrant was issued for his arrest yesterday.

COMMUNIST ONSLAUGHT IN WEST FUKIEN

FIERCE FIGHTING IN PROGRESS.

NANKING FORCES ATTACKED

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, To-day.

Nanking troops in Fukien have made a stand against the onslaught of the Communists, and fighting is still raging in the vicinity of Tai Tien, Western Fukien, according to reports from Amoy.

The Reds are trying to repeat their spectacular drive into Fukien as they did two years ago when they almost captured Yenching, the strategic gateway to Fochow. In the first attempt, Fukien was garrisoned by the 19th Route Army and three provisional divisions.

In the present drive, the Communists are being resisted by more than 16 picked Nanking divisions.

TROOPS MOVING UP

Nanking press reports state that the Cantonese divisions in Shanghai, Yungting, and Wuping, Western Fukien, are moving up to attack Changting, the Red stronghold in Western Fukien. Local military quarters, however, declare that no such order has yet been made.

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MINNEAPOLIS TROUBLE

Truck Drivers Charge Militia.

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894, Received August 1, 12.10 p.m.)

Minneapolis, To-day.
The union truck-drivers yesterday charged the militia who are breaking the strike here, and ordered picketing to be resumed this morning, intending to halt all trucks despite the military convoys. — United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

MAIL PLANES CROSS OVER ATLANTIC.

French Test Flight.

Paris, To-day.

The Atlantic was crossed yesterday in each direction by giant French mail planes. The "Croix du Sud" left Dakar, Senegal, on Monday afternoon and arrived at Natal, Brazil yesterday morning, while the "Arc en Ciel" left Natal yesterday morning and arrived at Paris in the Cape Verde Islands yesterday evening.

The flights are intended to test the possibility of an air mail service between France and South America. — Reuter.

WEATHER FORECAST

Cloudy, with rain, and moderate to fresh north-east winds, was the weather forecast issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.

LOCAL RAINFALL

The local rainfall recorded at the Royal Observatory for the 24 hours ended 10.30 a.m. to-day was 0.67 inches, bringing the total since January 1 to 59.47 inches, as compared with a normal average of 53.43 inches.

MAIL SCHEDULES

INWARD MAILS.

FROM EUROPE

Conte Verde (via Negapatam) Aug. 2
Fushimi Maru (Imperial Air-
way Service) " 4
Somali " 6

FROM JAPAN

Empress of Asia " Aug. 1
Pres. Hoover " 2
Tilawa " 2
Yasukuni Maru " 2
Pres. Garfield " 3
Hawaii Maru " 4
Melbourne Maru " 5
Yamagata Maru " 6
Nagato Maru " 7

FROM AMERICA & CANADA

Empress of Asia " Aug. 1
Pres. Hoover " 2
Pres. Garfield " 3

FROM MANILA

General Lee " Aug. 3
Tanda " Aug. 4

FROM SHANGHAI

Empress of Asia " Aug. 1
Sunning " 1
Pres. Hoover " 2
Yasukuni Maru " 2
Pres. Garfield " 3
Calchus " 7
Tatsuta Maru " 8

FROM STRAITS

Conte Verde " Aug. 2
Ajax " 2
Muluca Maru " 3
Fushimi Maru " 4
Taina " 7

FROM AUSTRALIA

Tanda " Aug. 4

OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR EUROPE

Patroclus (via Marseilles) " Aug. 1
Closes: Reg. 1.45 p.m. Ord. 2.30 p.m.
Yasukuni Maru (Air Mail Ser-
vice) " Aug. 3
Closes: Reg. 11.30 a.m. Ord. 12 p.m.

FOR JAPAN

Sunung " Aug. 1
Pres. Hoover " 2
General Lee " 3
Nellore " 3

FOR MANILA

Empress of Asia " Aug. 2
Nellore " 3

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Pres. Hoover " Aug. 2
Pres. Garfield " 3
Nellore " 8

FOR SHANGHAI

Conte Verde " Aug. 2
General Lee " 3

FOR STRAITS & INDIA

Patroclus " Aug. 1
Yasukuni Maru " 3
Tilawa " 4

FOR AUSTRALIA

Nellore " Aug. 3

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cards for Europe and South America
are forwarded "via Siberia" if so
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at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

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the General Post Office and Kowloon
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superscribed for despatch by a spe-
cial air mail service, correspondence
will be forwarded by the first service
available.

The Woman's Page

WELL WORTH
THE SPACE
THEY OCCUPYOdds And Ends That
Are Handy.

A length of expanding cord with
loops at the ends is easily packed
and serves various purposes. It
may be used to increase the ac-
commodation in a wardrobe, or as
a temporary clothes-line for dry-
ing or airing small light things in
a bedroom or in a ship's cabin. A
few spring clothes-pegs should
also be taken. One or two of
these, if fitted with loops of string,
are handy for hanging up
hats.

A piece of coloured oil-silk,
large enough to cover the con-
tents of a suitcase and truck in
all round, looks neat if the case
has to be opened for a Customs
examination. It is also useful to
protect things which may have to
be lifted out. At other times it
may serve as a waterproof wrap-
per if damp clothes have to be
packed at short notice.

When gloves, stockings, collars,

Floral Pareos, Sarongs And
Sea ShellsTahitian Styles For The
Sun-Baskers

London. Jaunty half-length coats, is a gar-
land of flowers as headress. The
effect is frankly charming and
flowers might be real or artificial.

This is a distinct sun-basking, not
sea-bathing debut, and meant to
give a full-quotasun-bake without
merely going "beach-rustic" on the
sands in an ordinary swim-suit.
Oddly enough, you will look more
"dressed-up." Maybe the pic-
turesque note tends to an impres-
sion.

Ankle-length sarongs cover pareos
with lesser draped effects than those
worn under jaunty coats. The lat-
ter usually incline to floral printed
cottons and fine linens that have a
special Tahitian quality in primitive
colours, sunset-red shades on white,
or sea-green and sky-blue with a
dash of pink and perhaps a vague
distribution of black.

Talking of black for this summer
beach wear, it figures in a linen
ground for a pattern of white birds
through pareo and brassiere beneath
a plain black linen coat and a great
coolie hat of glistening black straw.

The only other contrast from
white on black is in shoulder straps
of bright red raffia. These large
straw hats are destined for the
former styles when ankle lengths
have a centre front or side split
wrapping over in a draped move-
ment on to one hip.

The style is statueque in effect
and looks perfect when dark brown
tussore appears without any other
contrast except gold rings looping
shoulder straps on to brassiere and
a natural beige coolie hat. This is
plaid in characteristic "native"
fashion from straw, that resembles
coconut or pineapple fibre.

Different types of models will
swell the tide in beach wear and
lounging styles this summer. Apart
from exercising in swim-suits and
rompers, the cult will develop for
pareos in floral cotton and linen
prints like the model that conjures
up visions of Tahiti.

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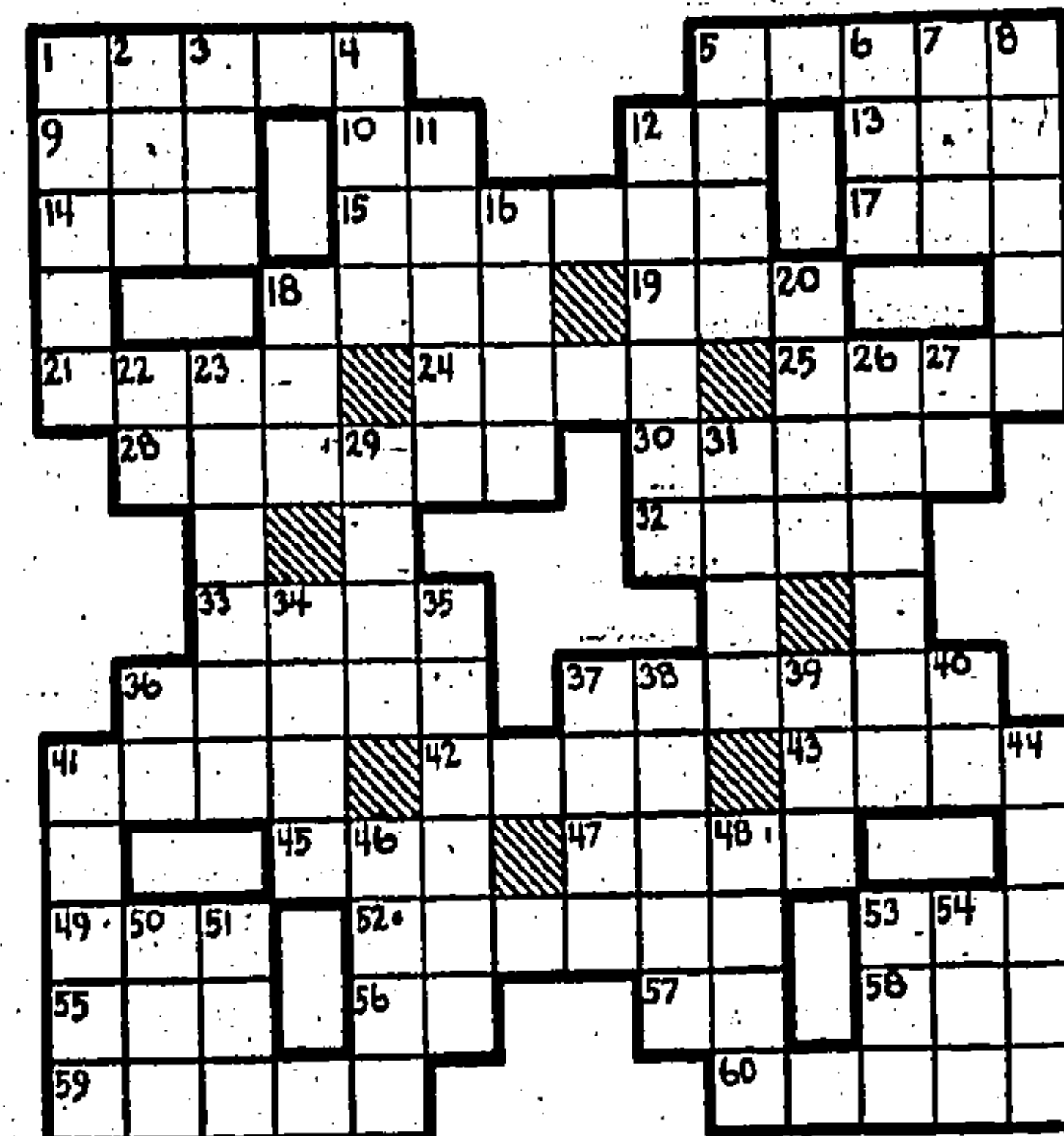


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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our
readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings,
such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL

1-Implied
6-Abode of evil
9-Epoch
10-Pronoun
12-Egyptian sun-god
13-Girl's name
14-Snare
15-Small eagle
17-Terminate
18-Ever (Contr.)
21-Drage, as a boat
24-Girl's name
25-Boy's name (Short)
28-Matures.
30-Penetrates
32-The quantity of
medicine
33-Examine
36-A device for lifting
37-Bolled slowly
41-Nude
42-Affirm
43-Augments

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

46-A measure of
length
47-Close by
48-Doze
52-Robed
53-Balances (abbr.)
55-Five hundred two
(Rom.)
56-Comparative suffix
57-A continent (abbr.)
58-Grease
59-Guide
60-A paper measure
(Pl.)

VERTICAL (Cont.)

16-An alcoholic
beverage (Pl.)
18-A serpent
20-A rodent (Pl.)
22-Conjunction
23-A season
25-Wanted
27-Doctor (abbr.)
29-Comfort
31-Part of the face
34-At any time
35-Trapper
36-Musical note
37-Dispatched
38-A large plant (Pl.)
39-Conflict
40-A degree (abbr.)
41-Ties
44-Vends
46-Vault
48-A Hebrew month
50-Little island in
inland waters
51-A pastry
53-A serpent
54-Goal

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle
will appear in to-morrow's issue.

TIARAS LATEST FOR
SPORTSWEAR.

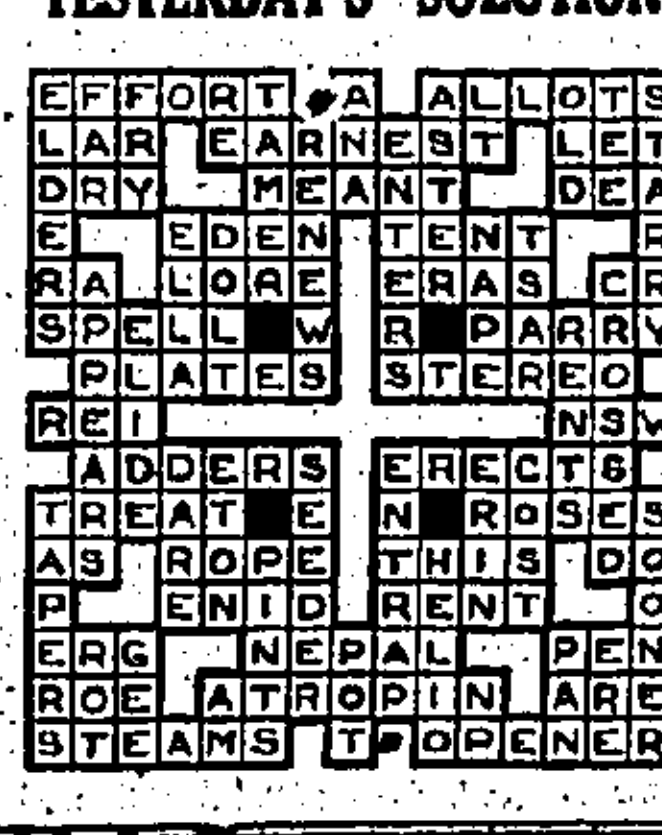
Obtainable in All
Colours.

Tiaras for sportswear does
sound a bit startling, but they are
really more bandeaux; not the
upstanding rhinestone tiaras that
are making evening coiffures
grand-elegant.

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deaux for sportswear, is that they
come in all colours from baby blue
and pink right on through the
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shades.

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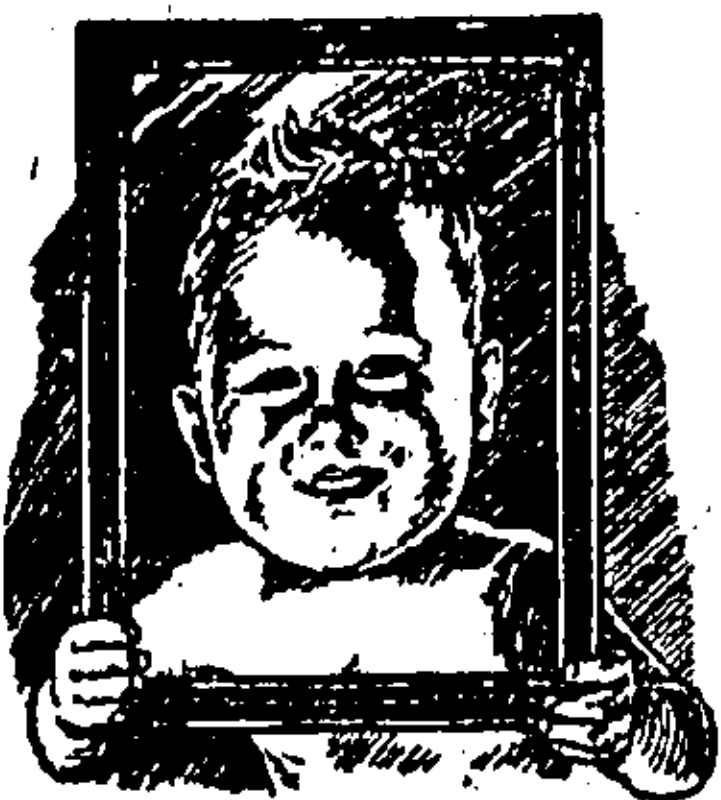
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NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that the REGISTER of MEMBERS of the Company will be closed from THURSDAY, 9th, to WEDNESDAY, 22nd August, 1934, both days inclusive.

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Amusements

Cinema Notes

"LET'S FALL IN LOVE"—KING'S THEATRE

Chosen from hundreds of girls by Columbia, Anne Sothorn is starred in "Let's Fall In Love," a musical comedy, the feature picture now showing at the King's Theatre. Miss Southern, whose real name was Harriet Lake, a former Broadway stage star, was seen here recently in "Melody In Spring."

The story centres round Hollywood's studios, where Miss Sothorn takes the part of a fake Swedish star, whose hoax is revealed by the director's jealous mistress, played by Miriam Jordan. Edmund Lowe is seen as the director.

"Let's Fall In Love," "Love Is Love Anywhere," and "This Is Only the Beginning," are songs written by Harold Arlen and Ted Koehler, two of Hollywood's outstanding song writers, for the film. The supporting cast includes Gregory Ratoff, Tala Birell, Betty Furness, Ruth Warren, Arthur Jarrett, Greta Meyer and Anderson Lawlor.

"FOR LOVE OF YOU"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

"For Love of You," a hilarious musical comedy, featuring Arthur Riscoe and Naunton Wayne, a Windsor-Sterling production, is the current release at the Queen's Theatre. Staged in the gorgeous carnival of picturesque Venice, the film offers real entertainment. Franco Foresta, the brilliant operatic tenor, sings the theme song, "For Love of You," and is ably supported by the rest of the cast.

"COMING OUT PARTY"—ALAMBRA THEATRE

Fox Film's romantic drama, "Coming Out Party," featuring Frances Dee and Gene Raymond, is the Alhambra Theatre's current attraction. The film lays bare the tribulations of the girl who makes her debut into society. It shows how she is placed upon the marriage auction block, sold to the highest bidder, and launched on a social career like a battleship, even to the champagne, the crowds and the bands.

One of the season's debutantes is being prepared for her social premiere. While preparations are being made for her party, she slips away to keep a secret appointment with the man she loves, a young violinist. Through a misunderstanding, the lovers quarrel and the girl goes to his apartment to explain. Their differences are soon forgotten in warm reconciliation.

Other members of the cast are Allison Skipworth, Nigel Bruce, Harry Green, Gilbert Emery, Marjorie Gateson, Clifford Jones, Jessie Ralph and Germaine de Neel.

"GOLDEN HARVEST"—STAR THEATRE

"Golden Harvest," the Paramount production now showing at the Star Theatre, deals with the farm strikes in the great north-west area of America, picturing the turbulent scenes in the Chicago Wheat Pit which brought about the disorder.

Two romances are interwoven in the story of a struggle between two brothers, one a farmer and the other a speculator on the stock market in Chicago.

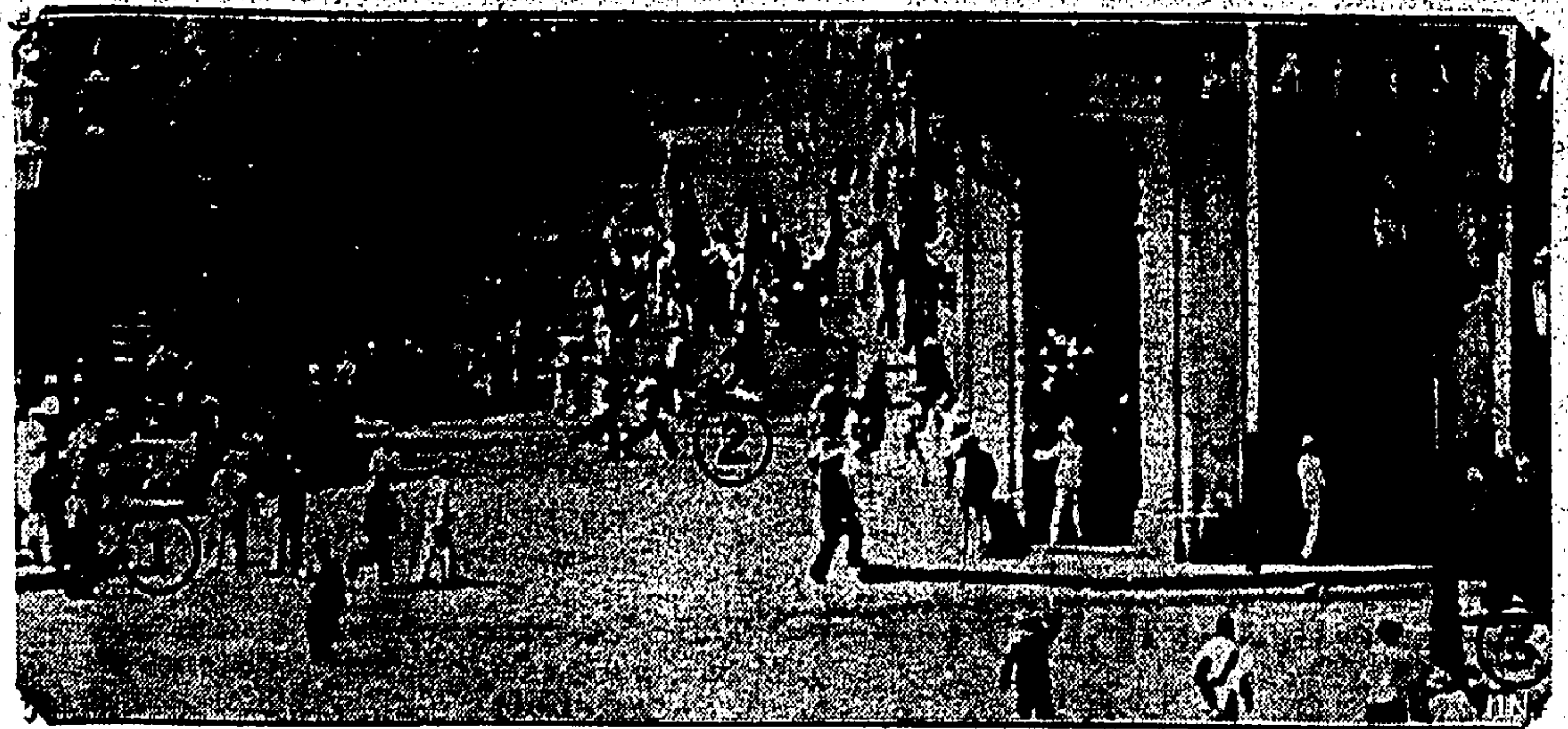
The leading roles are taken by Richard Arlen and Chester Morris, while Genevieve Tobin and Julie Haydon have the romantic roles. Comedy is supplied by Roscoe Ates and Elizabeth Patterson.

"BULLDOG DRUMMOND"—ORIENTAL THEATRE

In this picture, Ronald Colman's initial talkie, the great English star is seen enacting the role of Sapper's famous character, Bulldog Drummond, the current release at the Oriental Theatre.

Although the picture was shown here some time ago, it is worth seeing again as Colman continues the stirring adventures of this famous fiction character in "Bulldog Drummond Strikes Back," his latest Twentieth Century production, soon to be shown here.

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Ten were killed and more than 20 wounded when machine gunners opened fire on a political parade of students in Havana, Cuba. This unusual picture shows the actual fighting shortly after the battle broke out. No. 1 designates the nest of the machine gunners and haven of some of the wounded. No. 2 is a man slain in the street. No. 3 shows some of the paraders who have taken refuge behind a lamp post and are returning the fire of the attackers with their pistols. The cameraman risked his life to get this remarkable picture.

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

1-2-15 p.m.—European Programme.
1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.
1.03 p.m.—Recorded Music.
1.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra from The Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room. (by courtesy of the Management).
1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Press News, etc.
2.15 p.m.—Close Down.
A talk on "Dr. Morrison" by the Rev. E. L. Allen.
Pianoforte Recital.
4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
6-6.15 p.m.—Children's Concert.
7-10.30 p.m.—European Programme.
7 p.m.—London and New York Stock & Commodity Quotations.
7.05-7.30 p.m.—Orchestral.
Gopak ("The Fair at Sorotchinsk") (Moussorgsky).
Cortege des Nobles ("Mlada") (Rimsky-Korsakov).
London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates.
Elegiac Melody (Grieg).
Willhelm Mengelberg and his Concertgebouw Orchestra.
1. Heartaches.
2. The Last Spring.
Bavarian Dance, Op. 27, No. 1 (Elgar).
Bavarian Dance, Op. 27, No. 2 (Elgar).
London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Edward Elgar, O.M.
8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.
7.30-8.15 p.m.—Variety.
Fox Trot.
That's a Pretty Thing.
I'm Hitchhiking to Vegas to you.
The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.
Song—
Si Petite.
Sana Toi—Tango Chants.
Mlle. Lucienne Boyer (Soprano).
Selection—
Love, Life and Laughter.
New Mayfair Orchestra.
Vocal Duet—
Gee, Oh Gosh, I'm Grateful.
What's Good for the Goose, is Good for the Gander.
Sam Brown and Girl Friend.
Piano Solo—
True.
A Thousand Goodnight's.
Rale da Costa Accompanied by The New Mayfair Orchestra.
Fox Trot—
I Love you Truly.
Waltz—
The Show is Over.
Ray Noble and His Orchestra.
Song—
The Very Thought of you.
A Place in your Heart.
San Geronzo (Tenor).
8.15-8.47 p.m.—A Concert.
Violin Solo—
Hungarian Dance No. 2 in D Minor (Brahms).
Cavatina (Raff) (Op. 85, No. 3).
Arthur Catterall.
Song—
Liebesfeier (Weingartner).
Es blüht der Tau (Rubinstein).
Meta Stenemeyer (Soprano).
Cello Solo—
Menuet (Paderewski, Op. 14, No. 1).
Spanish Dance (Aragonesia) (Cassado).
Gaspar Cassado.
Song—
Do not go, My Love (Hagemann).
Phyllis has such Charming Graces. (arr. Lane Wilson).
Tudor Davies (Tenor).
8.47-9.15 p.m.—Light Orchestral Music.
Symphonic Rhapsody on—
"I Heard you Singing," and "Bird Songs at Eventide".
"I Pitch my Lonely Caravan" (Eric Coates).
Eric Coates and Symphony Orch.
Potpourri aus der Operette, "K. Gasparine" (Millock).
Edith Lorand Orchester.
Love's Last word is Spoken (Elzio).
Marie Louise (Meisels).
Marek Weber and his Orchestra.
Danse des Apaches (Guthbert Clarke).
Glow Worm Idyll (Lincke).
New Light Symphony Orchestra.
9.15-9.45 p.m.—From the Studio.
A talk on "Dr. Morrison" by the Rev. E. L. Allen, M.A., F.R.D.
9.45 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, London Stock & Commodity Quotations.
9.50-10.15 p.m.—From the Studio.
A Pianoforte Recital by Mrs. Nora Kanis.
Programme.
1. Sonata.
2. (a) Allegro vivace.
(Continued in Next Column).

MAKING WORK FOR HIMSELF.

Bavarian Labourer's Scheme.

Munich. For many months tiles had been mysteriously dislodged at night from the roofs of various churches in Lower Bavaria. In the morning Herr Schellhorn, a tile-repairer, of Kulmbach, would appear on the scene and offer to repair the damage at a price. But one night Schellhorn was discovered on the roof of a church pulling off the tiles. Now he is serving a year's imprisonment for fraud and the destruction of property.—Reuter.

(b) Adagio Grazioso (c) Allegretto Schumann Op. 6
2. Two pieces from Davidbinder, Op. 6
10.15-10.30 p.m.—Band Selections.
Dance of the Tumbler ("Snow Maiden") (Rimsky-Korsakov).
Gollwog's Cake Walk ("The Children's Corner") (Debussy).
The B.B.C. Wireless Military Band conducted by E. Walton O'Donnell.
Songs of Wales.
The Regimental Band of H. M. Grenadier Guards conducted by Captain George Miller.
10.40 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Mid-day Press News, Further London Stock & Commodity Quotations, followed by New York Opening Quotations.
10.40 p.m.—Close Down.

BRIDGE NOTES

"THE GRAND COUP"

By ELY CULBERTSON

One of the most spectacular plays at the Bridge table is known as the "Grand Coup." This play occurs only when the Declarer finds that an opponent at his right holds a trump honour which is uncapturable by ordinary means because Dummy does not contain enough trumps to lead through the honour a sufficient number of times. It requires the Declarer to shorten his trumps to the same number as those held by the adversary to be coupled by the process of ruffing winning cards in the Dummy and then to place the lead in the Dummy, so that at the twelfth turn to play a finessing situation has been established for the Declarer.

An example of the Grand Coup is: North:—Dummy South:—A J Declarer East:—K 5 The lead from Dummy at this point is immaterial. East is forced to trump, and whether he trumps with the five or the King does not matter. South will overtake and capture the remaining trump held by the East player.

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U.S.R.C. CLEAN SWEEP BRILLIANT DEBUT BY MRS. KYALL

LACK OF INTEREST SHOWN BY HOLDERS

1934 MIXED DOUBLES TENNIS LEAGUE SEASON UNDER REVIEW

(By Advantage Server.)

DROPPING only 11 of their 54 sets this season the United Services Recreation Club won the 1934 Mixed Doubles Lawn Tennis Championship and the Dunlop Shield as the result of a 100 per cent. record. As in 1932, when the U. S. R. C. recorded their other triumph, the new champions fully proved their superiority over the other three Clubs.

The loss of Mrs. Lochner, "Lolly" Goldman's partner, was atoned for by the brilliant debut of Mrs. Kyall, who has played at Wimbledon. She paired perfectly with Goldman, one of the Colony's best doubles players, her powerful and accurate overhead work being the outstanding feature of a hard-hitting game. This pair went through the season without defeat in their fifteen sets.

The absence of the Indian Recreation Club and the Club de Recreo was a big disappointment, especially in the case of the Sookunpoo Club, who won the title in 1930 and the following year and who possess such players as Sirdar Rumjahn, H. D. Rumjahn, and J. A. E. Cassumbhoy. Paucity of lady players was responsible, for both withdrawals, but, judging from reports from Sookunpoo and King's Park, there is a likelihood of both Clubs making a re-entry to the League next year.

The surprise of the season was the poor form shown by the Chinese Recreation Club, the holders. They secured only one win. Mrs. Chiu Chun Chiu was again the best lady player, but the loss of Enid Lo and her brother M. W. was a big blow to the Causeway Bay Club's chances. Ho Ka Lau and Mrs. Ho Ka Lau were again in partnership, but opposing pairs showed a greater aptitude to avoid the versatile Ho than they did in the 1933 season. The men players did not seem to take the same interest, and, as the result of six players taking part, the team never really settled down.

Miss Cheung Woon-wai, a 14-year-old player, gave by far the most promising displays of the season. Particularly sound on the backhand, she is likely to

CHAMPION CLUBS

1929—Kowloon Cricket Club.
1930—Indian Recreation Club.
1931—Indian Recreation Club.
1932—United Services R.C.
1933—Chinese Recreation Club.
1934—United Services R.C.

COMPLETE 1934 PARTNERSHIP RECORD

	P.	W.	L.	D.
L. Goldman and Mrs. Kayll (U.S.R.C.)	15	15	0	0
E. C. Fincher and Mrs. Wilson (E.C.C.)	17	13	2	2
Capt. P. S. Cannon and Mrs. Lewis Bryan (U.S.R.C.)	18	12	3	3
A. E. P. Guest and Miss M. Griffiths (K.C.C.)	14	10	2	2
Major and Mrs. Withington (U.S.R.C.)	15	9	5	1
Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Trall (L.R.C.)	17	6	8	3
W. C. Hung and Miss Cheung Woon-wai (C.R.C.)	12	5	7	0
Ho Ka-lau and Mrs. Ho Ka-lau (C.R.C.)	15	5	7	3
L. Goldman and Mrs. Withington (U.S.R.C.)	3	3	0	0
J. Rodger and Miss A. Mackenzie (K.C.C.)	5	3	2	0
Tam Yoc-fong and Mrs. T. C. Chui (C.R.C.)	6	3	2	1
D. C. Dunham and Mrs. Lissaman (L.R.C.)	3	2	1	0
G. Rodker and Miss M. Griffiths (K.C.C.)	3	2	1	0
Major R. L. Withington and Mrs. Parkes (U.S.R.C.)	3	2	1	0
H. J. Armstrong and Miss Thomas (L.R.C.)	12	2	10	0
P. Kong and Mrs. T. C. Chui (C.R.C.)	3	1	2	0
W. C. Hung and Miss W. B. Yueng (C.R.C.)	3	1	2	0
Ho Ka-lau and Mrs. T. C. Chui (C.R.C.)	3	1	2	0
E. F. Fincher and Mrs. Miller (K.C.C.)	9	1	7	1
D. C. Dunham and Mrs. Shewan (L.R.C.)	3	0	3	0
A. E. P. Guest and Mrs. Miller (K.C.C.)	3	0	3	0
Ng See-kwong and Mrs. T. C. Chui (C.R.C.)	3	0	3	0
P. Kong and Mrs. S. W. Leung (C.R.C.)	3	0	3	0
L. W. Liang and Miss W. W. Cheung (C.R.C.)	3	0	3	0
W. C. Hung and Miss Lee (C.R.C.)	3	0	3	0
D. C. Dunham and Miss J. T. C. Smalley	3	0	3	0
V. B. Gordon and Miss Thomas (L.R.C.)	5	0	4	1
D. C. Dunham and Miss Peterson (L.R.C.)	8	0	7	1

WIMBLEDON CHAMPIONS REWARDED

Dorothy Round and Fred Perry
Hon. Members Of All-England
L.T.C.

London, July 28.
In recognition of their victories at Wimbledon, Miss Dorothy Round, who captured the women's singles title, and Fred J. Perry, who won the men's singles championship, to-day were elected honorary members of the All-England Lawn Tennis Club.—Reuter.

SOUTH CHINA ROUT KOWLOON DOCKS

University Crush Indians.

"C" DIVISION TENNIS

South China Athletic Association recorded a further victory in the "C" Division Lawn Tennis League on Monday, defeating the Kowloon Docks Recreation Club by 9 sets to nil in their postponed match.

Score	Set
F. N. Wong and C. P. Ip (South China)	6-0
beat Millard and Duncan	6-0
beat Tillery and Pearson	6-2
beat White and White	6-0
H. K. Ho and K. F. Lui (South China)	6-1
beat Millard and Duncan	6-1
beat Tillery and Pearson	6-2
beat White and White	6-1
P. K. Kwok and C. N. Tsang (South China)	6-1
beat Millard and Duncan	6-1
beat Tillery and Pearson	6-3
beat White and White	6-0

University Win.
The University defeated the Indian R.C., in their postponed "C" Division match by seven sets to two at Pokfulam on Monday.

"C" Division League Table To Date

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Set
C.C.C.	11	11	0	0	76 1/2
C.C.C.	11	11	0	0	76 1/2
S. China	9	9	0	0	70 1/2
K.C.C.	7	7	2	0	46 1/2
C.B.A.	12	7	5	0	57 1/2
Recreo	7	6	1	0	46 1/2
University	8	4	4	0	31 1/2
L.R.C.	9	3	6	0	32 1/2
C.S.C.C.	9	3	6	0	37 1/2
Army	6	2	4	0	25 1/2
Deutscher	9	2	7	0	28 1/2
K.B.G.C.	6	1	5	0	17 1/2
Police	9	1	8	0	11 1/2
K.D.R.C.	8	0	8	0	13 1/2
Radio	10	0	10	0	14 1/2



Miss Lila Row, women's tennis champion of India, taking part in an international match at Beckenham, Kent, in shorts. Participation of women in active sports and such costumes were unthinkable in India a few years ago, and the picture tells a graphic story of the liberation of Hindu women.

CHINESE A.C. FOOTBALLERS IN MAKASSAR

Matches In East Indies
And Java

17 PLAYERS ON INVITATION VISIT

At the invitation of Mr. Wong Tak-fan, Chinese Consul at Makassar, Dutch East Indies, 17 footballers of the Chinese Athletic Club, left the Colony last week for Makassar, where they will meet Chinese and European teams.

It was stated that they will also play in Java and other parts of the East Indies before their return to the Colony on or about August 24.

The following comprised the party:—Li Kwok-ki, Wong Sik-ping, Lu Hon-cheung, Mak Siu-hon, Wu Ka-hing, Leung Yuk-tong, Lai Wai-chiu, Ho Chor-yin, Yip Ping-fai, Li Hung-ching, Ting Kwong-sum, Au Ping-ming, Au Kim-fung, Ho Ka-keung, Lu Chai-wan, Cheung Kun-sang and Wu Tin-po.



K.B.G.C. RINKS FOR SATURDAY.

Champions To Meet Craigengower "B"

The following have been selected to represent the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in their Lawn Bowls League matches on Saturday:

1st Team	2nd Team
J. Watson, A. S. Russell, J. H. Budding and L. Guy (skip).	P. Farrell, J. Rodger, H. H. Rose and W. Macfarlane (skip).
R. Duncan, V. Petherick, S. Randell and R. Hall (skip).	J. Macdonald, E. V. Searle, J. G. Charlton and G. E. F. Thompson (skip).
H. F. Stoneham, G. Ross, W. E. Hale and J. S. Logan (skip).	J. L. Tetley, C. L. Farmer, C. B. Hosking and J. G. Meyer (skip).

TILDEN AND VINES MEET 57 TIMES.

Vines Wins 39.

W. T. Tilden and Ellsworth Vines have met 57 times since Vines cast in his lot with the lawn tennis professionals and Vines has won on 39 occasions.

O'CONNOR ON WAY TO 2,000



LANCASHIRE CHALLENGING FOR TITLE

SUSSEX AGAIN DROP POINTS.

SURREY SKIPPER'S CENTURY

Lancashire are now rapidly overhauling Sussex in the race for the County Cricket Championship, the leading county again dropping first innings points, against Warwickshire.

Heavy scoring was witnessed at the Oval, where Surrey took the first innings lead from Kent. Surrey, batting first, scored 501, to which E. R. T. Holmes, the skipper, contributed 100. Kent replied with 431, Ashdown scoring 121.

Phenomenal scoring was recorded at Dudley, where Gloucestershire beat Worcester by an innings and 34 runs after scoring 625 for 6. Hammond, who has been as conspicuous a batting failure in Tests as he has been a success in county matches, again gave a glimpse of his true form, scoring 265 not out, while Barnett scored 170 and C. C. Dacre the ex-New Zealand Test player, 104.

Charlie Parker, one of the veterans, and Goddard contributed towards the downfall of Worcester, Parker taking 7 for 87 in the first innings and Goddard 7 for 105 in the second.

Ernest Tyldesley, who is retiring at the end of this season, continued to show that, although a veteran, he is by no means finished, adding another century to his tally of eight for the season, scoring 115 for Lancashire against Leicestershire.

Patsy Hendren and Hearn, the Middlesex stalwarts, were in form at Taunton, scoring 127 and 172, respectively, against Somerset.

Scores, as cabled by Reuter, were:—

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

At Hove, Warwick secured first innings points from Sussex. Warwick: 269 and 270 for 8 dec. Sussex: 251 (A. Melville 106 not out) and 18 for 3.

At Nottingham, Yorkshire secured first innings points from Nottinghamshire. Yorkshire: 884 for 8 dec. Nottingham: 219 (Verity 6 for 85) and 242 for 8.

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HANKOW AQUATIC MEET

An all-Hankow aquatic meet will be held at the Chung Shan Garden on August 19, under the management of the Hankow Athletic Association.

It is anticipated that keen interest will be shown by swimmers from the three cities of Hankow, Hanyang and Wuchang.

VERITY AT TOP

LARWOOD LED BY FRACTION IN BOWLING

MEAD HEADS THE VETERANS.

FRANK WOOLLEY'S FALL

LONDON, JULY 10.

THE NAWAB OF PATAUDI, OXFORD, WORCESTER AND ALL-ENGLAND, HEADS THE ENGLISH FIRST-CLASS CRICKET BATTING AVERAGES WITH 73.75. A FRACTION IN ARREARS OF STANLEY McCABE'S LEADING AUSTRALIAN FIGURE.

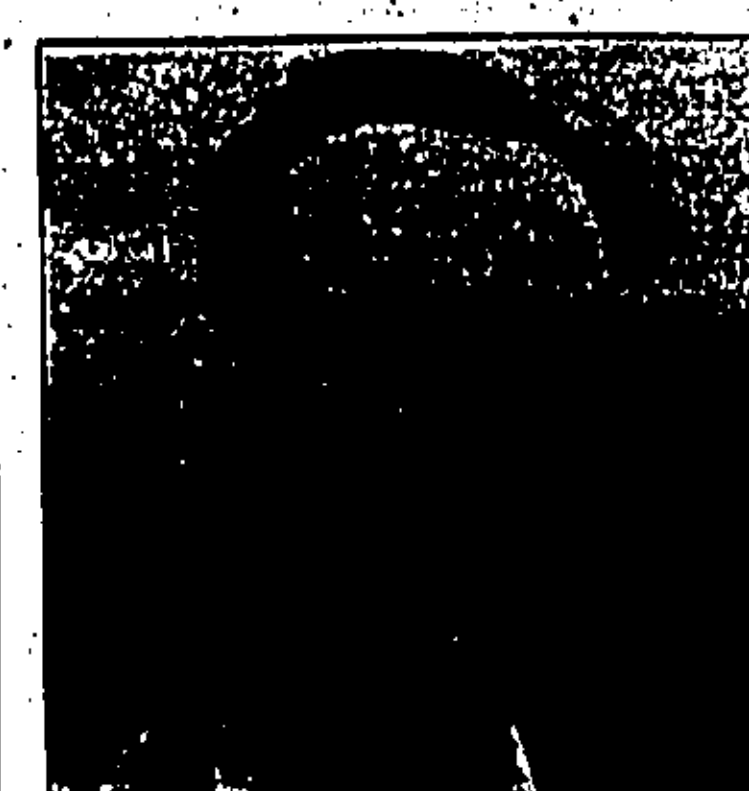
Jack O'Connor, the Essex No. 8 batsman, is well on the way to 2,000 runs with a highest aggregate of 1,628, as the result of 30 innings. Philip Mead, 46-year-old Hampshire veteran, is sixth, while Ernest Tyldesley (45 years) and Frank Woolley (47 years) are 13th and 31st in the list.

Though Tich Freeman, the Kent Veteran slow bowler, has taken more wickets than any other player this season, Headley Verity, hero of England's Test win at Lord's, is leading Harold Larwood for the honour with 13.66, which is considerably better than W. J. O'Reilly's 15.39.

The following are the batting and bowling averages to date, giving those who have represented England this summer, or those who have been invited to attend the various Test matches, in black type.

BATTING			
(11 completed innings, average 45)			
Times	L.	N.	A.
The Nawab of Pataudi	15	8	845
Ames	23	4	1463
Hammond	13	1	825
J. H. Human	19	2	1246
Cook	19	3	1070
Mead	37	2	1247
O'Connor	30	4	1228
Gregory	23	1	1351
N. S. Mitchell	19	3	829
Innes	19	3	823
Leyland	19	3	823
Langridge (John)	25	4	1207
R. de W. K. Winlaw	19	8	809
Tyldesley	25	2	1308
Gibbons	29	4	1399
Keston	23	0	1216
F. G. de Sarum	21	1	1101
Mitchell (A.)	25	2	1260
Paynter	24	6	979
Ashdown	29	2	1461
J. W. Seamer	13	1	649
Arnold	27	8	1231
Parks (H.)	19	5	721
Parks (J.)	22	1	1070
Hendren	25	1	1217
Idon	26	3	1162
A. Melville	13	2	804
Todd	25	6	957
C. F. Walters	21	1	980
Woolley	28	0	1334
Sandham	19	0	899
Duckfield	22	5	781
Darling	23	2	957

* Signifies not out.
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Jack Hobbs, who is not playing regularly for Surrey this season, has not qualified for the batting averages this season, despite the fact he has hit two centuries this year. He is in his 53rd year.

LINCOLN HANDICAP WINNER FOR INDIA

Was Originally Sold For
30 Guineas

LONDON, JULY 28.

Mr. J. Russell, the trainer of Play On, the winner of the Lincolnshire Handicap, announces that the horse has been sold privately to go to India.

Play On, who is a four-year-old gelding by Welsdon out of How's That, was bred by Mr. Donald Fraser at the Tickford Park Stud, and was sold as a yearling for 30 guineas.

Following his victory in the first important handicap of the year, Play On ran second to Light Sussex in the City and Suburban his only other outing this year being in the Great Northern Handicap, at York, in May, in which he finished third.—Reuter.



BOWLING

(Qualification 32 wickets, average 25)

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Aver
Verity	636	236	1052	77	13.66
Larwood	407	87	1126	76	14.81
Paine	706	5	232	153	91
Geary	383	5	121	700	40
Bowes	549	4	168	1189	97
Smith J.	682	2	170	1613	88
(Mdx.)	578	1	210	1104	58
Hopwood	528	4	119	1155	62
Mayer	528	4	119	1155	62
Copson	278	4	72	633	33
Matthews	400	4	99	1057	55
Mitchell	623	3	137	1629	95
(Derby)	623	3	137	1629	95
Tate	623	3	137	1629	95
Freeman	627	4	221	2103	102
Smith (Lel-)	672	4	174	1582	76
cester)	548	2	108	1497	71
Voce	451	4	144	932	44
J. C. Clay	451	4	144	932	44
I. A. R. Pe-	362	4	63	975	46
bies	459	3	136	1041	49
Smalles	533	4	203	1017	47
Langridge, Jas	603	3	116	957	43
Lewis	596	4	175	1281	55
Shibbole	596	4	175	1281	55
Wensley	592	3	155	1415	63
Booth	621	4	134	1455	64
Gover	585	1	122	1718	75
H. D. Read	208	4	84	759	33
Partridge	562	5	135	1371	58
Askill	469	5	97	1183	50
Goddard	541	4	147	1441	60
Parks, J.	526	2	189	903	40
A. J. Pelham	322	5	85	777	32
Eastman	611	2	186	1315	54
Perks	551	1	110	1551	63

THE AUSTRALIANS

BATTING

McCabe	19	4	1139	240	79.26
Ponsford	15	2	939	281	74.53
Chipperfield	15	3	638	175	55.25
Bradman	17	1	848	206	53.00
Brown	18	1	812	119	47.77
Woodfull	15	1	423	127	37.35
Barnett	12	4	230	61	35.00
Darling	21	1	688	106	58.40
Ripper	12	1	818	89	23.90
Oldfield	9	2	190	67	27.14
O'Reilly	12	6	161	25	24.83
Grimmett	12	2	102	59	16.20
Bromley	14	0	209	56	14.92
Ebeling	11	0	135	37	12.32
T. W. Wall	7	2	49	24	9.23
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WILLY SMITH'S COMEBACK IN JOHANNESBURG

BEATS McLOUGHLIN
ON POINTS.

REGAINS FEATHERWEIGHT
TITLE AFTER 3 YEARS

Johannesburg. "They never come back," says an old boxing dictum. But Willy Smith, the old South African featherweight champion, who beat Teddy Baldock in a historic fight in London at the height of Baldock's fame some years ago, has just done so.

Giving one of the cleverest displays of his long career, Willy Smith made South African boxing history when he regained the national featherweight crown from Len McLoughlin who took it from him some three years ago. He won on points.

Refuses To Hurry

Smith refused to be hurried in the early rounds, never allowed McLoughlin to develop a sustained attack, and was actually the stronger in the closing rounds.

Up to the end of the eighth there was nothing in it. McLoughlin, playing a faster left in the long-range exchanges, gathered a fair share of points with it; but Smith was superior throughout in the in-fighting, and levelled things up with clever work in the clinches.

He rattled McLoughlin in the fifth, opening a cut under the Bloemfontein lad's eye; and, although Len made up ground for this, Smith always boxed with superior judgment.

Contrary to expectations Smith was the fresher over the last four rounds, which he won clearly. —Reuter.

LANCASHIRE CHALLENGING FOR TITLE

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At the Oval, Surrey secured first innings points from Kent. Surrey: 501 (E. R. T. Holmes 100) and 257 for 5 dec. Kent: 431 (Ashdown 121) and 229 for 9.

EARLIER RESULTS

At Clacton, Essex beat Glamorgan by two wickets. Glamorgan: 162 (P. Smith 5 for 39) and 358 (Nichols 5 for 87). Essex: 214 (J. C. Clay 6 for 37) and 307 for 8 (Pope 108).

At Dudley, Gloucester beat Worcester by an innings and 34 runs. Worcester: 326 (C. Parker 7 for 87) and 265 (Goddard 7 for 105). Gloucester: 625 for 6 dec. (Hammond 285 not out, C. C. Dacre 104, Barnett 170).

At Liverpool, Lancashire beat Leicester by nine wickets. Lancashire: 403 (Tyldesley 118) and 47 for 1. Leicester: 246 (Armstrong 101) and 202.

At Taunton, Middlesex secured first innings points from Somerset. Somerset: 181 (Smith 5 for 46) and 226 for 5 (F. Lee 180 not out). Middlesex: 516 for 7 dec. (Hearne 172, Hendren 127).

At Derby, Derbyshire beat Hampshire by 10 wickets. Derby: 377 for 7 dec. (Worthington 154) and 5 for 0. Hampshire: 192 (Mitchell 6 for 90) and 186.

FRIENDLY

At Edinburgh, the Australians drew with Scotland. Scotland: 107 (C. S. Dempster 69, L. Fleetwood-Smith 6 for 45), and 116 for 8. Australia: 391 for 5 dec. (S. J. McCabe 73, B. J. Barnett 92, A. F. Kip-pax 90 not out).

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE TO DATE

	P	W	L	1st Inn.	No. Pts.	Pts.
Sussex (2)	22	11	0	5	5	330
Lancashire (5)	22	10	3	6	3	330
Yorkshire (1)	21	10	4	3	2	315
Derby (6)	21	9	4	4	3	315
Kent (3)	22	8	5	5	4	334
Essex (4)	23	7	5	2	8	345
Notts (8)	20	7	4	5	4	300
Warwick (7)	20	7	4	4	3	300
Gloucester (19)	23	9	10	1	2	345
Middlesex (12)	19	5	6	5	1	285
Surrey (9)	17	4	5	6	2	255
Glamorgan (16)	19	3	7	4	3	285
Worcester (15)	19	3	8	2	6	285
Hampshire (14)	20	2	8	7	2	270
Somerset (11)	18	3	7	0	6	270
Leicester (17)	17	3	8	1	5	255
Northants (13)	18	1	14	2	1	270

(Figures in brackets denote positions held at conclusion of last season.)



Less than twenty-four hours after defeating Primo Carnera, to rob him off his world's heavyweight boxing title, Max Baer returned to the gay life of New York. Here is the new champion at the Westchester Bath Club, Maryland, N.Y., with Mary Kirk Brown and Leo Friede, N.Y. Broker.

S. C. A. A. OFFICERS ELECTED

Mr. Lo Yuk-Tong New
President

At the annual election of officers for the South China Athletic Association held at the Association's premises, China Building, on Monday evening, Mr. Lo Yuk-tong, last year's Vice-President, was elected President in place of Mr. M. K. Lo.

With the exception of Mr. M. K. Lo, who was bound by the Club's constitution to retire, the majority of last year's officials were re-elected to office.

The following are the officials for the coming year:—
President: Mr. Lo Yuk-tong.
Vice-president: Mr. Li Ching-chung.
Chairman: Mr. O. W. Luke.
Vice-Chairman: Mr. Fung Pak-lok.

Hon. Treasurer: Mr. Peter H. Sin.
Hon. General Secretary: Mr. Wong Ka-tsun.
Vice-Secretaries: Mr. Sze Yuk-shi and Mr. Ma Nai-kwong.

PAIRS SEMI-FINAL POSTPONED.

Jones And Grimmit
Take Lead.

The semi-final Open Pairs Lawn Bowls Match between A. W. Grimmit and F. J. Jones (Civil Service) and B. W. Bradbury and U. M. Omar (Craighower) was postponed owing to rain when the Civil Service pair were leading by 13 shots to 6 on the ninth head, on the Police R.C. green yesterday.

Mr. B. E. Maughan, President of the Lawn Bowls Association, was umpire.

The game will be resumed at 5 p.m. on Friday.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES

Play commences to-day in the following matches:

County Championship	County Championship
Surrey v. Sussex	Gloucester v. Middlesex
Cardiff v. Glamorgan	Sheffield v. Derbyshire
Nottingham v. Hampshire	Leicester v. Worcester
Friendly	Friendly
Bristol v. Gloucester	Australia v. Australia
Lord's v. Rugby	Rugby v. Marlborough

China Mail Sports Diary

TO-DAY
Football:—
Entries close for local Leagues
TO-MORROW
Lawn Bowls—Open Singles
G. Perkins v. A. Chapman (C.C.C.)
Open Rinks—Semi-Final
R. F. Luz, B. W. Bradbury, H. Beer, and U. M. Omar v. E. W. Simmonds, J. W. Deakin, F. J. Jones, and A. W. Grimmit (Police).
FRIDAY
Meetings:—
Hong Kong Football Club, 4.45 p.m.
Lawn Bowls—Open Singles
R. Basa v. G. G. Moss (C.S.C.C.)
E. G. Post v. V. Petherick (Recreio).
H. A. S. Alves v. R. Duncan (R.C.C.)
SUNDAY
Bowls International:—
Philippines v. Switzerland
India or Wales v. Ireland
Australia v. Portugal
Malaya v. England

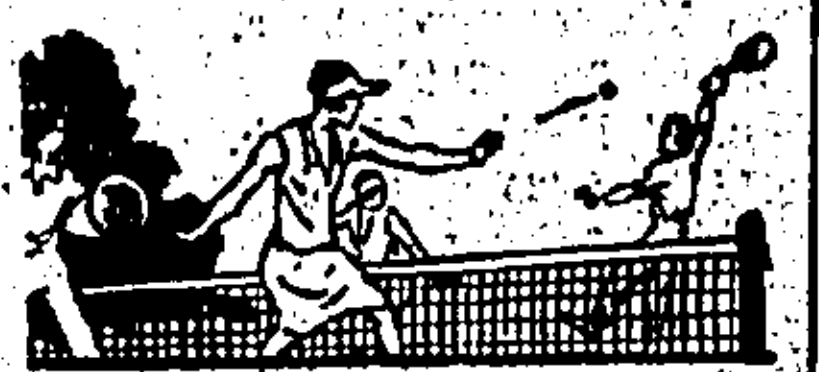
FLOOD-LIT RACING IN PARIS.

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For the second race the "Prix du Crepuscule" (the twilight prize), only the lamps on the finishing line were put into action, but as soon as this race was over the powerful lanterns of the front tribunes flooded the track with light. For the third race the full light was given by all the lamps.

It is noteworthy that the races were run amidst almost complete silence, which strikingly characterised this peculiar nocturnal meeting: there was none of the tumult which usually marks the races at Longchamps.

It is stated that 150,000 people were recorded as having passed the gates at 10 p.m. At the same hour, as all cards for entrances to the pavilion were exhausted, the club officers were compelled to collect by hand. —Havas.



MIXED DOUBLES TENNIS

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season and Miss A. Mackenzie showing signs of great promise the K. C. C. will be in an even stronger position to challenge next year.

A review of the Mixed Doubles League would hardly be complete without mention of the consistently good displays of Capt. P. S. Cannon and Mrs. Lewis Bry-an for the U. S. R. C. They were the only pair to play the full 18 sets, and their 12 wins and 3 draws is ample testimony of the challenge they may offer for the Colony Mixed Doubles Championship, now held by L. Goldman and Mrs. Lochner.

LUTON TOWN LOSE \$631

Luton Town F.C. the League Division III (South) club, lost \$631 last year. Cup receipts totalled \$1,200, there being only the one game with the Arsenal, whereas the previous year the amount was \$4,267, the club that season reaching the sixth round of the competition. League and London Combination gates were increased by \$2,000.

HOCKEY SEASON REVIEWED

Formation of H. K. H. A.
Fully Justified

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR
NEXT SEASON

A very successful inaugural year was reviewed by Mr. E. W. Hamilton, the President of the Hong Kong Hockey Association, at the first annual meeting held at St. Andrew's Church Hall last evening. The chairman in his review of the activities of the Association said that it had been proved that the formation of the Association had been well justified.

New officers for the ensuing year were elected, but no other business was dealt with.

Those present including the chairman, Mr. Hamilton, were Mr. A. A. Dand, Vice President, Mr. F. A. Kemp (Hon. Secretary), Mr. R. H. Wong (Hon. Treasurer), Lt. Comdr. Hussey, R.N., (Navy) Captain J. H. Welton (Army), Mr. W. Woodward (Hong Kong Hockey Club), Messrs. E. F. Selk and R. H. Bates (Y.M.C.A.), Mr. C. D'Almeida (Club de Recreio), Mr. E. L. Gosano (H. K. University), Mr. F. G. Barros (Incognitos), Mr. Surgin Singh (Radio), Mr. Jahan Dad (Kowloon Indians) and Mr. J. J. King (Central British Association).

Officers Elected

Proposed by Mr. A. A. Dand and seconded by Mr. Surgin Singh, Mr. E. W. Hamilton was re-elected as President of the Association. The Vice-Presidents elected were Commodore Frank Elliott, O.B.E., R.N., (Navy), Colonel E. H. Morris (Army) and Mr. A. A. Dand (Civilians).

Mr. F. A. Kemp was re-elected Hon. Secretary by unanimous vote, but owing to the inability of Mr. R. H. Wong to continue the duties as Hon. Treasurer, his proposal of Mr. A. M. Xavier, was passed unanimously.

The various clubs were asked to submit the names of the representatives for the Council to the Hon. Secretary.

Affiliation Question

Mr. Hamilton said that a reply was still being awaited from the Home Hockey Association on the question of affiliation, but it was expected that this would be received in due course.

The chairman also referred to

JAPANESE SPORTSMAN FOR SHANGHAI CIRCLES

Holder Of Several Far Eastern
Olympic Records

Tokyo, July 25.

Dr. Gohchi Koyama, of Kelo University Medical Department Hospital, is leaving Tokyo towards the end of this month for Shanghai, at the invitation of the Foo Ming Hospital there, having accepted the position of chief in the department of internal diseases.

In his school days, Dr. Koyama distinguished himself in various sports, especially field events, establishing some Far Eastern Olympic records. He is a noted coach—Rango.

COLOMBO'S DEFEAT COST MAN'S LIFE

GAMBLING CRAZE
SEQUEL

No bet about Colombo in the Derby was more desperate than that made by Ronald Stanley Head, a 24-years-old window cleaner, of Shortlands, Kent.

He staked his life on Colombo, and when he lost he left his home, smiling and whistling, and threw himself into the Thames.

At the inquest his father said that his son listened tensely to the broadcast of the race, "Windsor Lad—Easton—Colombo," said the announcer. Head looked up and laughed.

He left home later and wrote a letter to his sweetheart. Then he went to Waterloo Bridge, tied two pieces of iron, weighing 20lb., to his leather belt, and jumped into the Thames.

the amount of work done by the Hon. Secretary, Hon. Treasurer and the Council, with regard to the Interport matches, which they had managed so well as to avoid any loss financially.

Departure Of Comdr. Leigh
Mr. Hamilton also referred to the departure of Comdr. F. B. Leigh, R.N., who he said, had worked untrillingly in the interests of local hockey. The Association owed him a very great debt of gratitude.

With this Mr. Hamilton proposed the adoption of the report and accounts, which was carried unanimously.



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CORRESPONDENCE

Capital Punishment.

[To the Editor, "China Mail"]
Sir.—As a trial for murder has just been concluded and another murder has recently been committed, I wish to raise again with the citizens of Hong Kong the question of the death sentence.

My proposal is that for an experimental period of twenty years every death sentence should be commuted.

This is a matter for the Governor in Council; I do not wish to suggest that it can be settled by an expression of civic opinion. It is however my hope that if a measure of public support is forthcoming for an experiment of this kind, the Government will accede to our request.

My reasons are as follows.

(1) Hong Kong provides the British Commonwealth with an admirable laboratory for experiments and should be so used.

(2) In the case of an experiment in the abolition of Capital Punishment, Hong Kong has the advantage of a highly trained and efficient Government. Frequent use of the death sentence is always a sign of weak government. The Hong Kong Government is strong enough to dispense with it altogether.

(3) I am convinced that thought of penalty never deters a murderer. Therefore abolition could not, I hope, lead to any increase in murder. For the same reason I do not believe abolition would lead to a decrease in the number of murders committed. Any slight increase or decrease in an experimental period would be due to other reasons. My conviction is that Government, finding at the close of the experimental period no considerable increase in the number of murders committed, would abolish the death penalty altogether.

(4) In the early part of this year I pointed out that once a murder becomes "known intimately as a person" to the community, the demand for commutation of sentence becomes acute. For this reason it would be virtually impossible for the death sentence to be carried out on any European. We would know so much about his temptations, about his difficulties, about the reasons that led him to act, that we would insist that the full rigour of the law was stayed in his case.

Please let me make this point quite clear. This would not be done out of racial prejudice, or for reasons of prestige, or for any reason reflecting on British justice. Justice must necessarily be impersonal, and the central fact about men and women is that they are persons. Once a man or woman becomes known to us as a person, impersonal treatment of them becomes intolerable.

(5) But Capital Punishment not only means treating a person impersonally, it means destroying that person. Whatever our beliefs about life after death, our theory of Capital Punishment is not based on our beliefs. A penalty which destroys the personality, even of one who has himself destroyed another person, is a survival from more primitive days. This survival is only possible because of a habit of impersonal thinking about those whom we do not know as persons.

(6) Capital Punishment survives from the days when retribution was considered moral action.

Punishment can be defined as:—
(a) Retributive
(b) Deterrent
(c) Reformative

Capital Punishment plainly cannot be the Reformative. An experimental period could show how far it is or is not a deterrent. The Retributive view of punishment is no longer considered tenable by any outstanding Christian thinker. It originates in a legal, and therefore an impersonal, view of life. The law is useful just because it is impersonal, but when the final question of destroying a personality is concerned the limit of useful impersonal action has been reached.

(7) Lastly, please understand this is not an official letter, but an increasing number of Church leaders, led by Dr. William Temple, the Archbishop of York, are convinced that the arguments used to justify the death sentence in the past are no longer valid. We believe that we are interpreting the mind of Christ in pleading for abolition.

I therefore write to ask any men or women of good will who share



First photo (left) of Mlle. Marguerite Ferrand, "wife" held with Capt. Ivan Poderza in Vienna, transmitted to U.S. by radio, and a new picture (right) of Agnes Tuferson, New York lawyer, another Poderza "wife" whose disappearance has set the police of three countries delving into what is suspected of being a "trunk murder."

LIFE OF DR. ROBERT MORRISON

Rotary Club Address By Dr. E. L. Allen.

PIONEER BRITISH MISSIONARY

The life of Robert Morrison, the pioneer British missionary to China, was the subject of an interesting address by Dr. E. L. Allen at the Rotary Club tiffin held yesterday at the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden.

"Emphasis is being laid throughout these centenary celebrations on the fact that Robert Morrison's memory is a common possession... it ought to serve therefore as a unifying force. Let this centenary serve as a reminder to us of how much we owe, even in our balance sheets and our security, to the men and women who from time to time have come to these shores, and not all as missionaries, prompted by just that impulse to disinterested service which brought here Robert Morrison," said Dr. Allen.

Rotarian M. K. Lo presided, and guests welcomed included Hon. Sir Thomas Southern, Messrs. S. F. Mittock and A. Tinney (Shanghai), T. Ramsey, W. H. E. Thomas, D. Rouse, H. Owen Hughes and S. V. Boxer.

FOOTBALL FIENDS IN TURKEY.

Fire-Engines At All Big Matches.

TO KEEP CROWD IN ORDER.

Izmir, Turkey.

Fire engines are now stationed on football grounds at nearly every important match in Turkey—and the firemen have orders to turn their hoses on the crowd in the event of any disorderliness.

This is a sequel to the disorders which marked the Winter Cup Final in April after the losing team had deliberately punctured several balls to stave off further disasters.

The Turk is normally an even tempered person, but football—which is played all the year round in Turkey—seems to rouse him as nothing else can.—Reuter.

my views, or who wish to discuss them further, to communicate with me as soon as possible. Our desire for Hong Kong is that she should continue the good work begun by our fathers, who, by their honourable traditions of trade, have made Hong Kong what it is. To continue their good work means for our generation that we should go forward to new ventures, of faith in community life, letting gradually higher and higher ideals inspire us, so that British justice in the Far East stands, not for conservative self-righteousness, but for courageous social experiment and understanding dealing with unfortunate men and women, who, because of their upbringing and their environment, menace our common life.

In a matter so vital, I know that I have no need to apologise for writing at some length, but I am, Sir, most grateful to you for your courtesy.

RONALD HONG KONG.

THRILLS ABOARD TINY YACHT

Surprise Visit To Loneliest Isle.

FOUR INTREPID MARINERS

Capetown.

Thrilling adventures of the sea are being told by four intrepid mariners who returned unexpectedly after a visit to Tristan da Cunha, that last British stronghold of romance.

They made the voyage in a 20-ton yacht, believed to be the smallest craft ever to have visited the island. The party consisted of Captain Guzzwell, a mate and two passengers. The craft, Our Boy, originally left Capetown on a voyage to England, but after leaving Table Bay the mariners decided to make for Tristan da Cunha, 1,500 miles to the westward, and from there on to the Azores.

But an accident at Tristan forced the party to return to Capetown. According to Captain Guzzwell the boat was anchored on a rocky bottom in a heavy swell. As the wind shifted the boat swung round and began to pitch so heavily that the windlass was broken and the hawsepipe damaged.

As a result it was found necessary to cut through the cable with a hacksaw and lose an anchor and eight fathoms of chain. It was now rather risky to continue the voyage, and they decided to return to Capetown for repairs.

The outward passage to Tristan da Cunha occupied 22 days and the return voyage only 19 days.

The heavy swell which is always present off the island was mainly responsible for the party not going ashore, but when they dropped anchor the island boats quickly appeared.

Captain Guzzwell, however, refused to allow any of the boats alongside as they were in danger of pitching on to the deck, and also the islanders did not appear too eager to come aboard. By shouting to one another they were able to ascertain that all is well on the island.

After repairs have been made Captain Guzzwell will continue his voyage to England.—Reuter.

OBITUARY.

Head Of Orient Tobacco Manufactory Passes.

MR. CARL INGENOHL

The report of the death of Mr. Carl Ingenohl, proprietor of the Orient Tobacco Manufactory, in Nathan Road Kowloon, on July 19 has just been received from Antwerp.

The late Mr. Ingenohl, who was 85, started to manufacture cigars in Manila in 1883, but later transferred his activities to Hong Kong.

The cigars manufactured by Mr. Ingenohl acquired a world-wide reputation, especially under his well-known brand, "La Perle Del Oriente." After the war Mr. Ingenohl concentrated upon the manufacture of his cigars exclusively in his Hong Kong (branch) factory.

MILITARY WEDDING AT KOWLOON

Capt. Pennack And Miss Lily MacKay.

CHARMING DRESSES

The wedding took place at St. Andrew's Church yesterday of Captain Charles Pennack of the Lincolnshire Regiment to Miss Lily Rossow MacKay.

The Rev. J. Lewis Bryan, C. F., officiated, and appropriate music was rendered on the organ by Mr. Rupert Baldwin.

The bride, who was given away by Major J. A. A. Griffin, D. S. O., looked charming in her face and beige wedding gown which was set off with a hat to match, trimmed with soft velvet ribbon. The wedding gown was made by Madame Garnett. The bride wore a shoulder spray of orchids and fine maiden-hair fern.

Attending the bride, was Miss Edna Pennack, sister of the bridegroom. She wore a delightful green floral nylon gown over a buttercup slip, with hat to match, and carried a tight posy of buttercup yellow flowers and maiden-hair fern.

Mrs. J. A. Griffin, Matron of Honour, chose a beige frock of Needlerun lace, which was set off with a picture hat of nigger brown. She carried a silk bag to match.

The duties of best man were undertaken by Captain F. W. Young, M. B. E., and Captain F. R. Williams acted as usher.

After the ceremony, Major and Mrs. J. A. A. Griffin acted as host and hostess for the bride and bridegroom at a reception and luncheon held at the Roof Garden of the Peninsula Hotel.

Later, the happy couple left for their honeymoon which is to be spent in Japan and North China. For her going-away dress, Mrs. Pennack chose a pale yellow floral nylon gown with touches of royal blue. She wore a royal blue halo, and carried a bag to match.

WASHINGTON WATCHED BY WALL STREET

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again recommended on minor recessions.

"Wheat:—Prices were easy on a large volume of speculative profit-taking. The prospect of showers and cooler weather also caused some liquidation. We would be inclined to take profits on further bulges.

"Any surplus Wheat is required for relief purposes."—Reuter.

E. A. Pierce Co.'s Report
In their market report, the American Oriental Finance Corporation, correspondents for Messrs. E. A. Pierce and Company, New York, state:

"Stocks: The trend of the market has been indefinite and there was some additional liquidation of rallies, on which opinion appears to be almost unanimously bearish, but the remainder of the list was not affected.

"Wheat: Prices eased on profit-taking. There have been no rains in the wheat and corn belts. The weather is now cooler and traders are awaiting further developments. Canadian advices are still unfavourable. The Liverpool market is easier on a slower milling demand. Private estimates, which are due on Thursday next, are expected to show a decreasing wheat and corn yield.

"Corn: There was a fair amount of support, which was off-set by some profit-taking. There are indications that the crop acreage in the Argentine is smaller. Rains are needed in some sections of the belt.

"Cotton: Southern and realising sales proved in excess of trade demand. Weather conditions are a little better. The off-take in cotton-goods has been small.

"Silver: Trade continues to be of a limited nature. Offerings were increased as control was lifted, but business was confined to August and September options, with everything absorbed by the same source.

"The General American Transport Company has declared a dividend of \$1.24 for the half-year, as against \$1.16 for the preceding half-year. J. I. Case, The Colgate-Palm Olive Company Du Pont has declared a dividend of 84 cents for the half-year as against 75 cents for the preceding half-year."

The following telegrams were received in the night:
"Stocks: There is no strong background in business to indicate the possibility of any active advance, but the sentiment of the market continues to be so over-whelmingly

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bearish that a technical recovery continues to be likely.

"Cotton: The Domestic Trade, Europe and the Far East bought at the opening, absorbing realising and small Southern sales."—Reuter.

Latest Quotations

The following quotations have been received through Messrs. S. E. Levy and Company and the American Oriental Finance Corporation:

New York, Yesterday.
Last To-day's close

N.Y./London			
Cross-Rate	5.03%	5.03%	
N.Y. Cotton—Dec.	13.27	13.16	
N.Y. Silver—Sept.	46.15	46.00	
Dec.	46.40	46.70	
N.Y. Rubber—Dec.	15.03	15.10	
Chic Wheat—Dec.	1.04	1.02%	
Chic Corn—Dec.	72%	72%	
N.Y. Silver (business done price)	46	46%	
San Fran. Silver (business done price)	46%	46%	
(Dow Jones Avg.)			
Last To-day's			
Aves. Aves. Change			
30 Industrials	88.17	83.05	0.12 off
20 Rails	85.16	84.98	0.48 off
20 Utilities	19.88	19.90	0.02 up
40 Bonds	93.76	93.42	0.34 off
11 Commodity			
Index	69.99	69.60	0.39 off

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SOVIET HUNTING SEASON ENDS.

13 Rare Blue Foxes Caught Alive.

The hunting season on Novaya Zemlia has come to an end. About 4,500 seals, 2,000 polar foxes, and over 50 polar bears have been killed. The hunters caught 13 rare blue polar foxes and five polar bears alive for the zoological gardens of Moscow and Leningrad.



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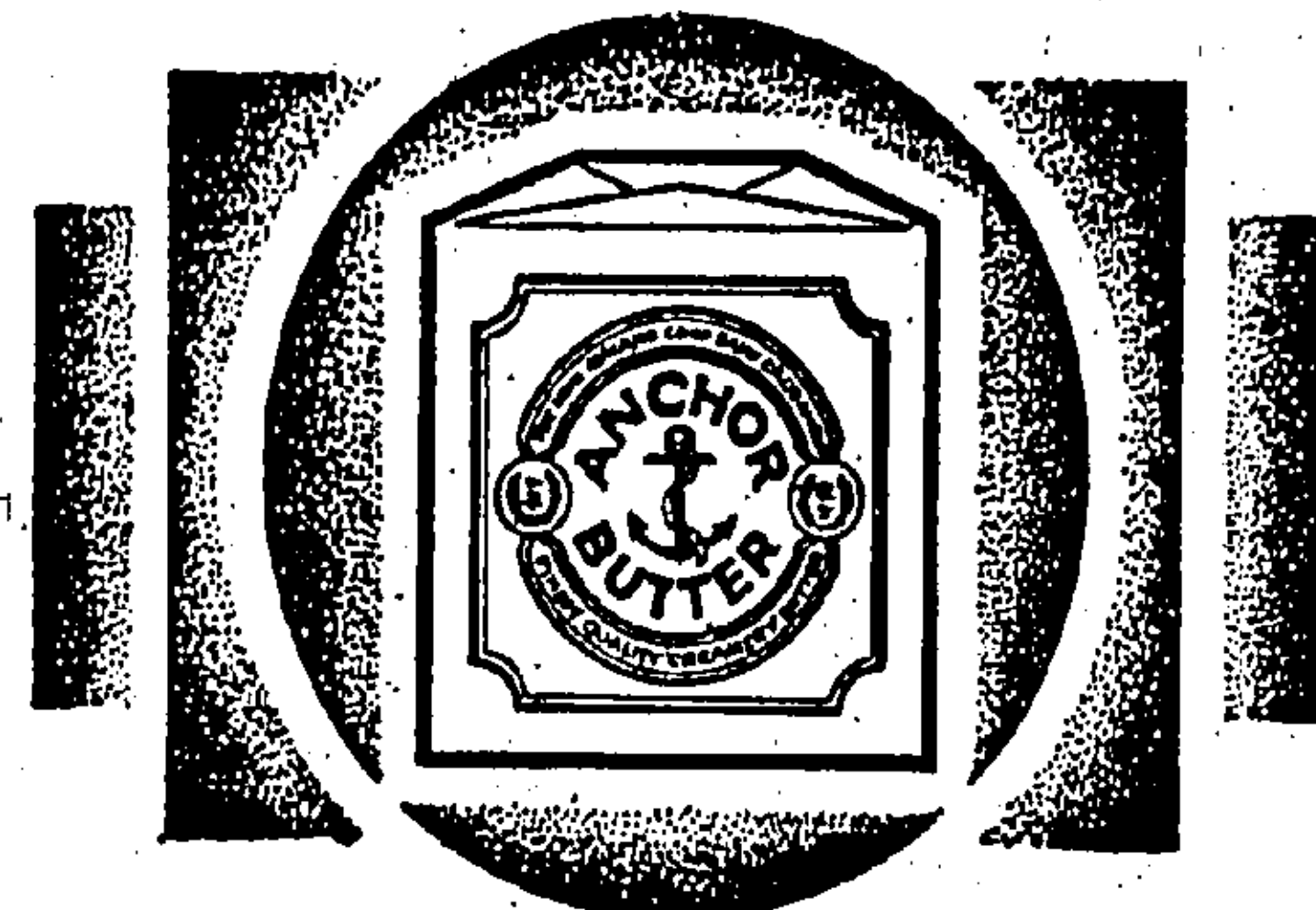
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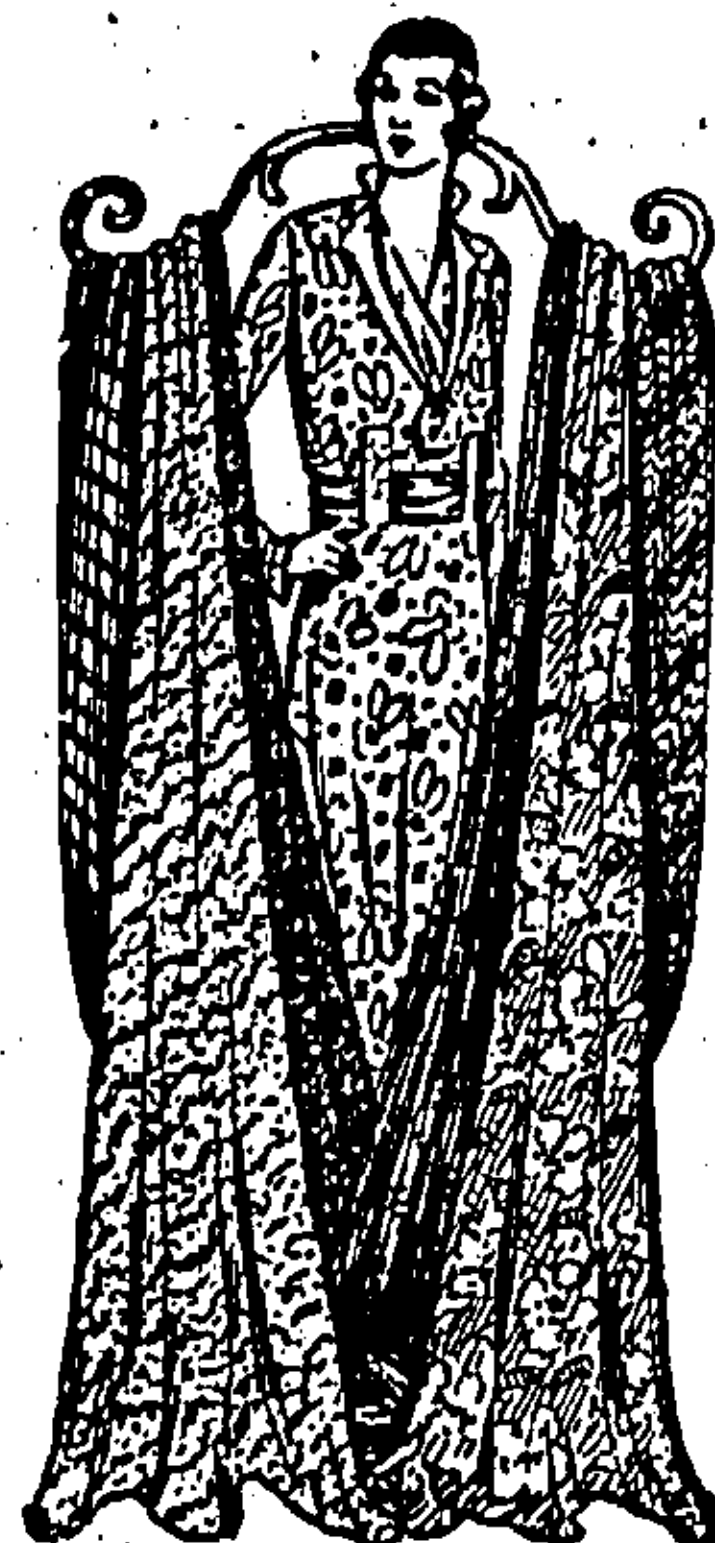
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BIRTH

BASTO—At the Canossa Hospital, on July 31, 1934, to Erica, wife of R. A. de Castro Basto, M.D., D.O.M.S., a son.

The China Mail

Hong Kong, Wednesday, Aug. 1, 1934.

The German Air Fleet.

The prohibition of bombing from the air and the abolition of all military and naval aircraft have been considered at several Disarmament Conferences without any agreement having been reached. Last year M. Nadolny, the spokesman for the German delegation at the last conference, strongly urged this form of disarmament, stating that he "need not explain that a war of aviation must necessarily be particularly feared by so highly populated and industrialised a country as Germany, who was aware that thousands of military aeroplanes were ready to fly over her frontiers, while she herself had not a single aeroplane for defence against attack from the air, no military aeroplanes, no anti-aircraft guns." It must be remembered that Part V. of the Versailles Treaty imposed upon a defeated Germany the total prohibition of all "military or naval air forces." Yet the existence of an invisible German air fleet has been reported. It is claimed that the new airport at Celle, "the largest aerodrome in Germany," probably in Europe, is designed purely for military purposes. It is possible, of course, that this aerodrome has been constructed for commercial purposes or for military purposes purely defensive, to both of which Germany has an undeniable right. But it is significant that a recent book, "Hitler Over Europe," makes the same assertion in more definite and detailed terms. The author, M. Ernst Henri, alleges that "the whole of Germany to-day is one vast aircraft factory," the German automobile and electrical engineering industries having been turned into aeroplane industries. Goering and Hess, two of the four supreme leaders of National Socialism, were former active airmen, and are still ardent advocates of aviation as a method of warfare. M. Henri even claims that General Goering, now Minister for Air, cherishes a new "Schlieffen Plan" of the conquest of Europe by a tremendous air force.

Certainly the fantasies of Nazi imperialists, if they have any actual basis in Nazi policy, could only be realised by air warfare, since Germany has been shorn of her military and naval strength. It was precisely this fear which dictated the French Note to Great Britain re-

cently, thereby closing the Power-to-Power disarmament negotiations. For, with characteristic diplomatic ineptitude, Germany had just disclosed the figures of her 1934-5 Budget, which showed an increase of 33.1-3 per cent. in the Defence Ministry vote, the largest percentage of increase being shown in the expenditure on the Air Ministry of General Goering, which was 210 million reichsmarks, as against 78 million for last year. In reply to British inquiry, it was stated that the increased expenditure was necessary for reorganisation of civil aviation and defensive measures against aggression from the air. Germany, it is stated would be content with a defensive air force, not including bombing planes, the numerical strength of which would not exceed 30 per cent. of the combined air forces of Germany's neighbours, or 50 per cent. of the French strength, whichever was the less.

The British Draft Convention had already proposed substantial reductions of military aircraft and limitation of their sizes. At the same time it frankly recognised the validity of Germany's claim to equality and the abrogation of certain clauses of the Versailles Treaty. And the "Round Table" magazine remarked recently that "if Sir John Simon's programme could have been presented a little over a year before to Chancellor Brüning, there is little doubt that he could have taken it home to Germany in triumph." But French intransigence and British slowness, delayed the offering of a reasonable compromise to Germany. And the result was that Chancellor Brüning gave way to Chancellor Hitler. And Nazi Germany, taking her stand upon the failure of the Versailles signatories to carry out their disarmament commitments, refuses to recognise the treaty's provisions in regard to German rearmament. The position at present may become even more complex if Russia enters the League, following present indications, and joins France and the anti-German bloc. But the prospect of a German air fleet makes it even more imperative than ever for Great Britain to continue the disarmament fight. Air warfare means that England will lose all her advantages of political and strategical insularity. In a "three-dimensional" war the British army and navy will be comparatively futile.

COLONY HEALTH REPORT

Two cases of diphtheria, two cases of typhoid fever, two cases of meningitis, and two cases of puerperal fever were reported in the Colony during the week ended July 28. During the same period one person died from diphtheria, two from meningitis, one from puerperal fever, and 59 from tuberculosis.

HERE, THERE
and
EVERYWHERE

DERELICTS AT DARTMOUTH

In spite of the activity at the Royal Naval College, Dartmouth there is a great deal of unemployment in this picturesque port. The College itself is at little more than half-strength, and its staff has been heavily reduced.

Commander Williams, the member for Torquay, lives in Raleigh's old house on the left bank of the Dart.

But the shipyards are silent, and the river is blocked with derelict shipping.

Last year 28 vessels were laid up in the river channel. They included the 14,000 ton Oropeza, which once carried the Prince of Wales.

To-day, there are only 18. Since 1933 the price of scrap-iron has risen.

IRON RATIONS

A despatch from Greenland has broken the silence surrounding Mr. Martin Lindsay's gallant attempt to cross the ice-cap and thus make the longest sledging journey ever undertaken by a self-supporting expedition.

The party of three young men has reached its advanced base and is probably by now in terra incognita.

Already they have had a hard time. They are in for a harder.

Each man's ration is 1lb. 14oz. of food a day. It is composed as follows: Pemican, 7 oz. margarine 4oz.; biscuits, 2oz.; peafour, 2oz.; phosphates of milk, 3oz.; porridge, 3 oz.; sugar, 4oz.; cocoa-and-milk, 2oz.; chocolate, 3oz.

On this Lucullan fare they propose to sledge for 12 weeks several thousand feet above sea-level.

Once they are more than halfway across the ice-cap they cannot turn back. Their supplies would not suffice for the return journey.

Your Daily Smile!

A woman was seen behaving in a strange manner at an open-air meeting addressed by an M.P. recently. She was doing her best to get close enough to hear what he was saying.

A radio invention makes it possible to control a driverless automobile. And now we want an invention that will control a car with a driver in it.

Ma's Lost

Some tourists were being shown an art gallery. When they approached a famous painting, the guide said, "Fuss here."

A small child looked about her in bewilderment. "That's right," she said, "but we must have left ma in the other room."

Aviators say that a rainbow seen from the air is not a bow but a circle. So there goes the idea of an air expedition to the end of one.

Young Webster

"Define 'appetite,'" requested the instructor in an English school. "When you're eating you're 'appy,'" announced the student; "and when you're through you're tight; that's 'appetite.'"

A critic declares that there is nothing that annoys novelists more than the person who starts reading their books in the middle. Unless, of course, it's the person who stops reading at that point.

Facts You Did Not Know

A clock has been invented that has disks of black and white stripes instead of numerals on its face to warn persons that their eyes are affected by astigmatism.

Airplane services were operated on regular schedules over 82,222 miles of routes by European companies last year, a net gain of more than 10,000 miles in a year.

Field glasses that can be fastened to the eyes with a head-band have been invented for sports observers to leave their hands free to take notes and handle microphones.

An Englishman has invented a motorcycle with a saddle that can be raised or lowered by manipulating the handle bars and with three inflated tires on the saddle.

**WOMEN MAKE GOOD
DETECTIVES**

**MORE ATTENTION PAID
TO DETAIL**

INTUITION AN ASSET

(By Gilbert Frankau.)

London. As a member of a certain famous club whose proceedings are always private, I learn a lot about Crime in real life. Almost the only books I read for relaxation are detective stories. Yet in real life, and in that mirror of life which is fiction, I have very seldom been able to discover a female sleuth.

Last year for the first time women—three members of the women police—were appointed to the Criminal Investigation Department of Scotland Yard. Now this is a very curious circumstance. More especially if you consider that we have had a female police force for many years past—and that two of the best living exponents of the detective story are women.

In real life, nevertheless, when we have to solve a mystery, we still almost invariably rely on a completely trousered C.I.D., while in fiction we turn to Sherlock Holmes, to Monsieur Poirot, to Lord Peter Wimsey, Mr. Ellery Queen, Mr. Philo Vance, or Mr. Fortune—my latest favourite in the sleuth-hound race. So far, indeed, I have discovered only one story in which a woman solves the murder problem—though dozens in which a woman either instigates the murder or commits it herself.

And this in itself constitutes for me a mystery. Because in my estimation every woman is a natural detective—and that almost from the day she is born. With her, curiosity, at least, is instinctive. And without that instinct every detective must fail.

Habitual Crime

Fiction apart, the average work of crime-detective is a routine affair. Most criminals are habitual criminals—and not very intelligent ones, either. Very few habitual law-breakers, moreover, go outside their own particular line.

Pickpockets pick pockets. Burglars burgle. Forgers forge. Safebreakers break open safes. Smash-and-grab raiders smash and grab. Scotland Yard, therefore, tabulates them—and even associates with them when they are not receiving his Majesty's hospitality. So that in nine cases out of every ten suspicion narrows itself to a very limited group.

Suspicion aroused, there follows the procuring of evidence. But there, also, no very great effort of the imagination or the intuition is required. Routine and systematic sciences such as that of fingerprinting or microphotography, exhaustive inquiries, remorselessly conducted, are the main need.

It is only in the exceptional case, in the case where real life approaches the extravagance of the fiction-writer, that exceptional qualities—the sixth sense or the sense of pure logic so dear to the crime novelist—are required at all. It is, however, precisely in such cases that a woman detective might shine.

For to say that the average woman is not a logical animal is to prove oneself even more ignorant about her than the average British husband. While not even the least imaginative British husband can deny that when it comes to that sixth sense which is intuition, she can give him ninety guesses in a hundred—and still win.

The discovery of the exceptional criminal inevitably entails the unmaking of character. And even when a woman is in love with him, no man can conceal his true character from her very long.

times for every once you could pull it over hers.

It is so ridiculously easy for a woman to deceive a man that the average woman does it with no mental effort at all. If she once sets her mind to deception, even Scotland Yard can throw in its hand.

But set another woman to unravel that deception, to unmask the villainess, and no power on earth will keep her long from the truth.

In such cases a woman detective would be invaluable. And since her intuition very rarely fails to penetrate the mask of the male hypocrite either, why should her work stop there?

The examination of suspects is a very important part of all police work. If an averagely intelligent woman attended, preferably in concealment, all such examinations I am convinced that not even the New York police would need to use the Third Degree. For although science has already produced an elementary lie-detector—and a very uncanny machine it is, as I myself know by personal experience—the finest lie-detector yet created is the average female mind.

Women's Potentialities

Nevertheless, if woman's potentialities as a detective ended there, she would never make a Sherlock Holmes. Because although she is a logical animal, and sometimes a hyper-logical animal, she is, at the same time, an over-imaginative animal, and far too apt to jump at her conclusions. This last—this jumping at a conclusion—being one of the worst attributes a detective can possess.

It is, rather, woman's capacity for minute observation of purely material matters which could make her so valuable in the elucidation of crime.

Woman, by her very nature, and by the very employments (mainly domestic) which she has had to practise through so many centuries, is more aware of more concentrated on detail than man is. She notices and remembers daily hundreds of little things that the average man either fails to notice or forgets. Ask her to describe the people at a party she has attended; ask her for any minute description of any scene she has witnessed—and you will realise the truth of this at once.

In the detection of all crime—any real, as apart from any fictional, detective will tell you—it is nearly always the observation of minutiae that eventually brings the criminal to justice. Even your least intelligent burglar knows enough nowadays not to leave footprints or finger-prints. But not even in fiction can your master-criminal operate without leaving some clue.

Every criminal, even your exceptional criminal, leaves some clue. The "perfect crime" has never yet been, and never will be committed. A woman's eye is as capable of discovering such clues as a man's eye—perhaps even more capable. Woman's powers of observation, woman's sense of logic, woman's intuition, and even woman's imagination, could all help the law to defeat the law-breaker. There is no earthly reason why we should not have more woman detectives.

AMERICAN TOURIST PARTIES.

First Arriving To-morrow.

A party of 50 American tourists, travelling under the direction of the D. F. Robertson Travel Bureau of Los Angeles, will arrive in Hong Kong to-morrow by the m.v. Yasunuki Maru, en route round the world. The party will be under the personal supervision of Mr. D. F. Robertson.

A further party will arrive on the m.v. Tatsuta Maru on August 8, and another on August 24 on the m.v. Asama Maru.

One case of typhoid fever was reported in the Colony during the week ended last Monday.

WAIST - REDUCING MARATHON

Three Women Start 30-Day Diet.

NOVEL CHICAGO CONTEST

Chicago.

A waist-reducing marathon, in which the goal is a loss of two pounds daily, has been begun by three local women, under the supervision of the City Health Commissioner, Mr. Herman N. Bundesen.

The entrants, who have been subjected to thorough medical tests are:—

Miss Deon Craddock—10 stone net.

Miss Alice Joy—10 stone 4 lbs.

Miss Felicia Terry—11 stone 11 lbs.

Their diets are each different, but the principal components of two menus are bananas and skimmed milk.

For Miss Craddock, the lightest of the trio, breakfast will consist of orange juice (100 calories), 2 slices of toast (100 calories), one half tablespoon of butter (50 calories) and 6 ounces of milk (125 calories). For lunch she will have vegetable bouillon (15 calories), lettuce & tomato salad (100 calories) and 6 ounces of milk (125 calories). Dinner will consist of a small portion of lean roast beef (100 calories), one portion of peas (50 calories), one slice of whole-wheat bread (50 calories), half tablespoon of butter (50 calories), one half baked apple with one half teaspoon of sugar (100 calories) and 6 ounces of milk.

Bananas And Milk.

The diet of Miss Joy, the middleweight, will consist for the first two weeks of six bananas and three or four glasses of skimmed milk a day, with a little coffee and tea, but no cream or sugar. After that he will be put on a more liberal diet.

The diet planned for Miss Terry, the heavyweight, gives her at first two bananas and a glass of skimmed milk for breakfast; two bananas, a glass of skimmed milk and a small portion of spinach for lunch and two bananas, a glass of skimmed milk and a small portion of liver for dinner. The experiment will continue for 30 days, during which each woman will be weighed and examined daily at the Board of Health laboratories.—Rutet.

UNMANIFESTED SACCARINE.**Complicated Ordinance As Excuse.**

Ngau Sze, a married woman, was charged before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, with importing 100 tins of saccharine into the Colony without being manifested on the s.s. Chuen Chow on July 25.

Mr. F. H. Loseby pleaded not guilty on behalf of defendant, saying that it is very difficult to understand the ordinance. After evidence by a Chinese revenue-officer and by Revenue-officer A. W. Grimmitt, the case was adjourned until August 13.

STIFF SENTENCE FOR BANISHEE

For returning from banishment on July 30 without an authorised permit, Lam Lai-yin, a 59-year-old unemployed, was sentenced to nine months' hard labour by Mr. J. B. H. Lee at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

It was stated that the defendant was banished on July 28 for a period of 10 years. When asked why he returned so soon, he said that there was neither work nor food in the country.

WINDOW-BREAKING AT LANE, CRAWFORD'S

A report was made to the Police by Gurdal Singh, watchman No. 509 of Messrs. Lane, Crawford's, that while he was on duty at 4.30 o'clock this morning, he heard a noise in front of the shop. On investigation he found that a pane of glass was broken in the jewellery department window. No person has been arrested.



Divorcee is ahead for Marshall Field III, master of 100 millions, and his second wife, the former Mrs. Dudley Coats of London, New York society commentators announce. The two are shown. The first Mrs. Field received 1,000,000 alimony.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Sentence of one month's hard labour was imposed on Mak Kan, unemployed, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for the theft of \$45.16 from Shea Kam, a kept woman, of Spring Garden Lane, yesterday. Sergeant Fitchie said that none of the money had been recovered.

For the larceny of a brown cat, the property of Kwok Yung, of No. 51 Hau Wo Street, in Cadogan Street, yesterday, Lai Lai, a street coolie, was sentenced to one month's hard labour, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning.

For being in possession of 48 20 pin lottery tickets at No. 2 Lower Rutter Street, ground floor, Tang Chau, a shop fold, was fined \$25 by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Sentence of one month's hard labour was imposed on Li Cheung, a coolie, by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning, for the attempted theft of a gold bangle from a Chinese woman named Leung Yik, at No. 46, Sai Street.

CONTRACT BREACH**Judgment With Costs For Moses & Co.**

Judgment with cost was granted by the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor at the Supreme Court this morning in a claim for \$38,719.20 by Messrs. S. N. Moses and Company Ltd., of No. 17 Queen's Road Central, against the Sheung Ip and Company and Lo Tse Leung, of 27 Wing Lok Street, for breach of contract.

Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by Messrs. Woo and Nash, appeared for the plaintiffs, the defendants failing to make an appearance in Court.

The claim was in respect of a contract between the parties dated August 31, 1931, for the sale and purchase of 400 bales of blankets each bale containing 100 pieces valued at \$1.65 each. The defendants failed to take delivery and the plaintiffs disposed of the goods by auction, suffering a loss of \$38,719.20.

CROP CONTROL CONTINUES

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Paducah, Kentucky, To-day. In a speech here yesterday, the United States Secretary of Agriculture, Mr. Henry C. Wallace, said that crop control would continue, but it must be supplemented by efforts to re-open foreign markets for American farm products.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

ROAD TRAFFIC BILL PASSED IN ENGLAND

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Details of the driving tests for new motorists also remain to be finally settled, and the organisation has to be set up to administer these tests. The new legislation also gives power to make regulations about the hours during which horns may not be sounded.

One part of the bill likely to be brought into force immediately enables the doctor of any hospital to where emergency treatment has been given to a person injured in a motor accident—British Wireless Service.

GARRISON WHIST DRIVE

Large Attendance At Lecture Hall.

CIVILIAN GUESTS PRESENT

An enjoyable whist drive, organised by the Garrison Entertainment Committee, was held at the Garrison Lecture Hall, last night. Twenty-seven tables were occupied, a number of civilian guests being among those present.

In view of the excellent support, it has been decided to make the drives a fortnightly function, the next one being scheduled for Tuesday, August 14.

Prize-winners last night were:

Ladies: First, Mrs. A. Kirman; second, Miss G. Kroutskayer; third, Mrs. Medina; consolation, Mrs. Arbon.

Gents: First, Mr. R. F. Cory; second, Mr. E. Kirman; third, Mr. Robinson; consolation, Mr. Bud-den.

Two travelling prizes were won by Mr. N. Stone.

Mr. Carter officiated as M. C., and the prizes were presented by the Garrison Adjutant.

THREE DOG-OWNERS FINED.**University Lecturer's Dog Strays.**

Summoned for allowing his brown and white terrier dog to go abroad in a public thoroughfare without either a muzzle or a lead, Mr. M. A. Cooper, of Lugard Hall, of the Hong Kong University, was fined \$10 by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning.

For allowing his chow dog to be at large without a muzzle, Mr. J. F. Grose, of No. 55 Conduit Road, was fined \$10 by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning. Mr. Grose, pleading guilty, said that the muzzle had slipped.

On a similar summons, for allowing his dog on Repulse Bay beach, Cheung Wing-kai, of No. 69 Robinson Road, was fined \$25 by Mr. Hamilton.

CHINESE BITTEN

After having been bitten by a dog belonging to Chan Chung, Wu Chan-kam, of No. 14 Yuk Ming Street, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday for treatment. The dog has been sent to Kennedy Town for observation.

POLICE OFFICER VICTIMISED.**Radiator Cap Stolen From His Car.**

Lam Hing, a 28-year-old unemployed, was sentenced to two months' hard labour by Mr. J. B. H. Lee at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for stealing a radiator cap, valued at \$25, from a Morris car belonging to Sub-Inspector Ritchie.

The car was outside No. 44 Han-kow Road when Lam stole the cap, and he was arrested in Nanking Road by a Chinese detective, who saw him carrying it in his jacket pocket.

COUNTERFEIT COIN HAUL.**Chinese From Macao Arrested.**

A fine of \$50, in default of one month's hard labour, was imposed on Chiu Suk-wah, unemployed, by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning, for being in possession of 100 counterfeit Hong Kong coins.

Sergeant Fowle said that accused came here from Macao, and was arrested yesterday with two rolls of counterfeit coins on his person.

INDIAN WATCHMAN TO BE DEPORTED.**No Valid Passport.**

An order for the expulsion of Khar Singh, an unemployed Indian watchman, was ordered to be issued by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, when he was charged with entering the Colony without a valid passport. Sergeant Russell stated that defendant came to Hong Kong from Macao, after having been dismissed from his position as a watchman. Defendant is to be sent back to Macao.

Today's Short Story.**WIMPOLE'S WOE**

By Louis Golding.

ALBERT WIMPOLE was the sort of little man concerning whom women nudge each other in omnibuses and say, "What a nice kind face he's got!" He was too kind to be a success as a business man, too industrious to be a success as a brick-layer, too tiny to make a good thing out of odd jobs in Covent Garden. So he became, because even editors could not resist his nice kind face, a literary critic.

He became the nicest and kindest literary critic in London. He found something of novelty in the most laboriously stereotyped novel, a certain lightness of touch in the most thunderous of sermons. Even about minor poetry he could not bring himself to be unkind. As he wrote his criticism he had a feeling that the author he was treating stood by his elbow with clasped hands and beseeching eyes. He could no more bring himself to say an unkind word about the book before him than he could have pushed its author into a vat of hot oil.

So he went on from season to season, finding somehow, somewhere, a little extenuation for the jejune, the lewd, the preposterous. A split infinitive might perhaps earn a gentle rebuke, but he would promptly apologise for his temerity by drawing attention to the author's delicacy or profundity. A nice kind critic.

And then one morning a volume on Wimpole's table entitled "Gangrene and Lilies," the author being Mr. Eustace Chasuble. I want to insist on this—Wimpole had not, as the saying is, got out of bed the wrong side that morning. His landlady had not scorched the bacon. He suffered occasionally from gumbolls, but he was free at that time from that minor but unpleasant affliction. Yet the fact remains that even as he unwrapped the book from the parcel, he felt that "Gangrene and Lilies" gave off an offensive odour. It stank.

PETITION GRANTED FOR WINDING UP.**Order Made For British Film Distribution Co.**

A petition for the winding up of the British Film Distribution Company was granted by the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor at the Supreme Court this morning with an order for the appointment of the official receiver as liquidator of the firm.

The application was made by Mr. D. McNeill, instructed by Mr. O. E. C. Marton, of Messrs. Deacons.

MUI TSAI RUNS AWAY.**Alleged Beaten By Mistress.**

A fine of \$50, in default of one month's imprisonment, was imposed on Chiu Suk-wah, a married woman, of No. 68, Third Street, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for keeping an unregistered *mui tsai*, 17-year-old, Leung Kui, alias Leung Po-kam.

Detective-Sergeant Fraser stated that the girl ran away from her mistress on July 13, and reported to the Secretariat of Chinese Affairs that she wanted to make her own living, and that she had been beaten by accused.

COMMUNIST ONSLAUGHT IN WEST FUKIEN

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To speed up the campaign against the Reds, General Chiang Kai-shek, Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, will hold a conference in Kuling, Northern Kiangsi, with the ranking commanders. Besides high military officers, Mr. Wang Ching-wei, President of the Executive Yuan, and Dr. H. H. Kung, Minister of Finance, are now on their way from Nanking to take part in the Kuling parley.

It is learned that the Communist problem is afflicted with the future political status of the South-west, the foreign policy towards Japan and other kindred topics. It is also learned that a representative of the military authorities will also attend the Kuling conference.

It was a volume of verses as astonishing amalgam of the jejune, the lewd, the preposterous. No book had ever affected Wimpole in this desperate fashion before. It made him blink, his ears burned with shame, his gorge rose.

And he sat down and wrote about it. All the ferocity he had suppressed for years blazed into one tempest of denunciation. (Is not the nicest and kindest little man in the world fundamentally a shrieking ape from the primordial jungles?) Whatever in the past he might have said about all the authors he had been nice and kind to, he now heaped upon Eustace Chasuble. And lots more. The sheets of paper flew from his pen like sparks from a knife-grinder's wheel. Wimpole grunted. Wimpole sweated. Then he sent his landlady's small daughter to the post with the completed jeremiad, and lay back on his chair and wept.

TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be "Black Ulysses," by R. Hernekin Baptist.

I assure you it was not the last time that Eustace Chasuble dissolved little Wimpole into a pool of tears. It was not the last time that Chasuble's large-eyed phantom came reproachfully into the room and stood beside Wimpole and wrung its hands and moaned. Poor little Wimpole! He could not have felt a more consummate blackguard if he had murdered his grandmother. Waves of repentance surged over him and drowned him. Not a single word he had ever written could have so much as troubled a fly's wing. And now..... And now..... He beat his bosom.

He sometimes wondered whether his review had caused Eustace Chasuble to commit suicide. He paraded various methods of suicide in grisly pageantry before him. Chasuble hanging from a beam, his lips and tongue purple..... Chasuble contorted in the unspeakable anguish of strychnine..... Chasuble a dismembered corpse in the wake of the great North express. But always the original picture asserted itself. In the end, the large-eyed phantom that came reproachfully into the room and stood beside him and wrung its hands and moaned.

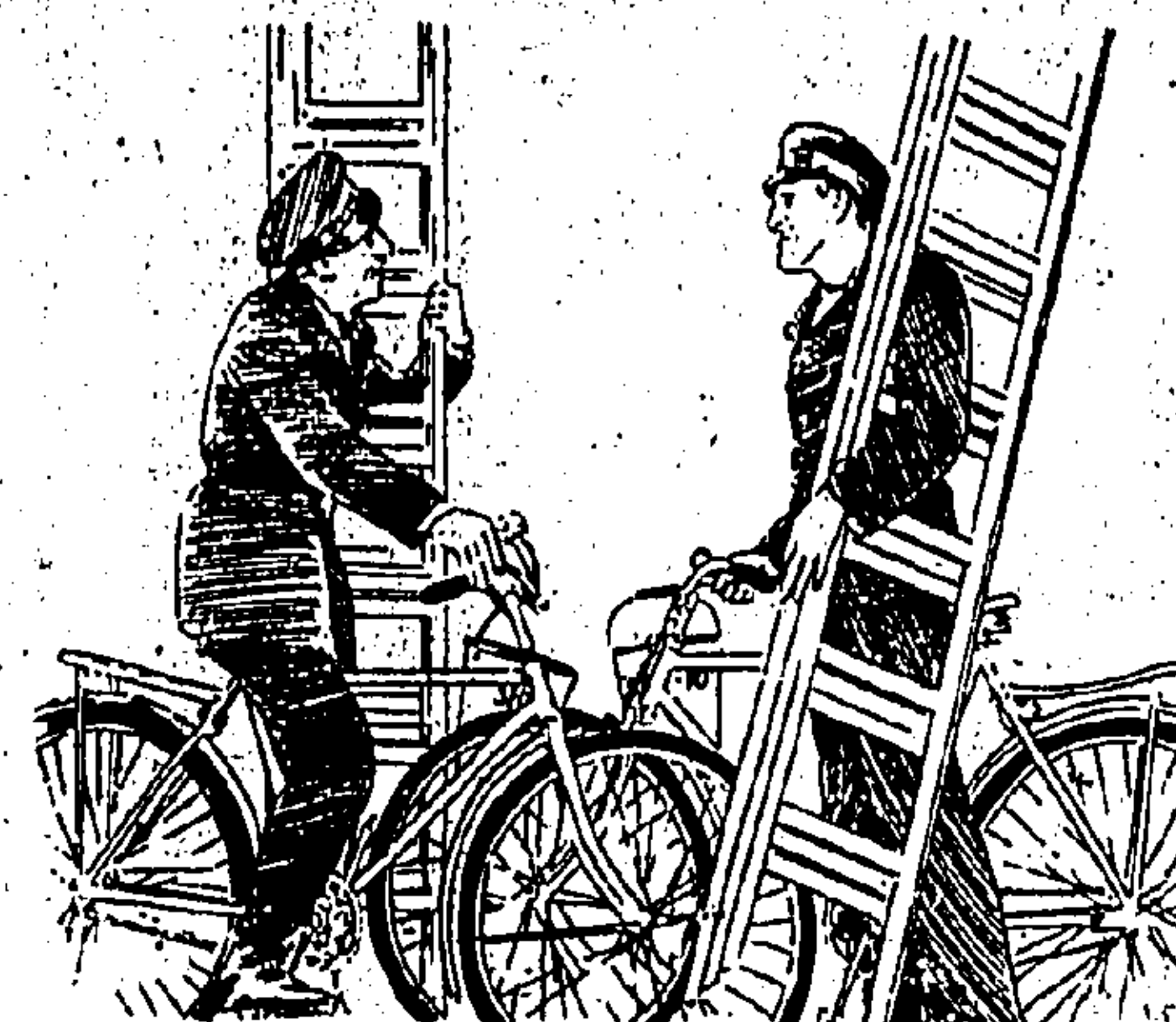
He developed in his mind an extraordinary precise picture of Eustace Chasuble. He was about five feet four inches in height, his head was pear-shaped and rather too big for his body. The hair was long and jet-black, the lips vivid scarlet upon a sallow face. The finger-nails were long and (if the truth were told) a little dirty. He was knock-kneed. He had a fluting, high-pitched voice. But his eyes, his reproachful, melancholy eyes..... Wimpole lay back in his chair and sobbed.

Many years passed. Never again did Wimpole utter a word of criticism which was not in the last degree nice and kind. But he could not ever exercise the phantom of Eustace Chasuble—the knock-kneed, long-haired, sad-eyed phantom of little Eustace Chasuble.

Behold him at this moment in the tiny market town of Bugmarsh, where he has a couple of hours to idle away before catching his connection for town. He has been spending his annual fortnight's holiday in the heart of the country. But now the call of duty has gone forth and he must return to his labours. It is dusk. He is rather short-sighted. He is peering at the posters pasted up outside the parish hall of Bugmarsh. He learns that there is to be an auction sale of farm implements and effects next Tuesday, that to-morrow night an illustrious pianist from the Metropolitan is actually going to honour Bugmarsh with his presence, that to-night—that to-night?—O Heaven! No!

Wimpole's scalp froze. His hair stood on end. As if to make it quite quite certain that there could not be two Eustaces Chasubles in the world, you were informed in chaste lettering under his name that he was the "author of 'Gangrene and Lilies'."

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The owners and builders have been accused of making all kinds of alterations to the vessel, including increasing her length and even cutting her in two for the insertion of an additional midships portion, with a view to the retention by France of the honour of owning the largest vessel afloat.

The London office of the C. G. T. have now issued an emphatic denial that they have made any major alterations to the ship. The Normandie, they state, is now structurally complete, down to the smallest detail; the engines are in and ready to turn, and the work in hand is merely the fitting out and decoration of the passenger quarters.

Their one desire, they add, is to build a vessel to suit their own requirements and trade, without reference to the size or speed of any other ship.

The R.M.S. Empress of Canada left Vancouver for Hong Kong on Saturday and is due here on Friday, August 17.

Wimpole's Woe

(Continued From Page 9).

Mr. Eustace Chasuble was to lecture that night, that very night, in the parish hall of Bugmarsh. His theme was to be—how blunt, how direct it was—"Pigs." No more than that—"Pigs." The lecture had started at seven o'clock. It was now half-past seven. Even if Eustace Chasuble continued for another hour there would be ample time to catch his train.

Could he repudiate this opportunity, after so many years, to make amends? His heart filled with pity. Once more the phantom of Little Chasuble stretched out its hands, stared mournfully and reproachfully upon him. Perhaps it was his own vitriolic review that had driven Little Chasuble from the rivers of poetry (even though he had made them smell like sewers), and caused him to abandon lilies for mangel-wurzels, gazelles for pigs.

No, he must express his regrets for his intolerable unkindness. At last, at last, the chance he had not dared to hope for had been granted him. True that Chasuble had not thrown himself before a train or tossed off a flask of strychnine. But what if he bore with him to the grave a crushed, a broken heart?

"Pigs" . . . a curious theme . . . Wimpole pushed his way through the door and across a vestibule. He heard a voice, assured and resonant. The chairman had obviously not finished his introductory remarks. Wimpole pushed open another door. It squeaked frightfully. A hundred large faces turned towards him, large as a harvest moon and red as an apple—ninety-eight in the hall, two upon the platform.

A hundred pairs of eyes concentrated upon Wimpole. All these healthy faces, these breeches and gaiters and leggings and side-whiskers . . . There was one empty chair in the middle of the room. The chairman pointed at it with a peremptory gesture. It must have been the lecturer he had interrupted, not the chairman. The chairman sat in the centre of the table before a bell and a flask. The lecturer held a bundle of notes in his hands and resumed his interrupted flow.

He roared, he bellowed, like the bull of Bashan. Not because he was angry with anything or anybody, but because that was his natural mode of utterance. He was a genial gentleman and hearty. He must have stood six foot and one or two inches in his stocking feet. But he looked smaller because of the enormous bulk of his shoulders. He had huge red hands. His knees were like the nobly ends of lopped branches on the trunk of an oak.

There was an especial species of pig, one gathered, that had won Mr. Eustace Chasuble's affections. It was entitled the "Large Black Pig." He recommended its virtues to his audience. His audience shook their heads in slow and weighty approbation, and tapped with their gnarled sticks on the ground. "No breed," proclaimed Mr. Chasuble, "could achieve such popularity without genuine merit. In the production both of pork and bacon: in the production of those cuts known as 'Medium,' 'Fat,' or 'Lean Sizeable.'"

Slowly a sweat of terror gathered upon Wimpole's brow. He tried to rise from his chair. The chair grated on the floor. He stumbled over somebody's stick. A hundred pairs of eyes concentrated upon him once more. Wimpole relapsed upon his chair. His heart tolled a muffled dirge within him. Mr. Chasuble returned to the Large Black Pig.

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"They can't stop me," thought Wimpole, "blinking away when it's all over. God help me!"

But the lecture drew to an end

and questions followed, and votes of thanks followed those, and the farmers ambled out of the hall. But little Wimpole still sat upon his chair like one hypnotised, his pale grey eyes staring from his head.

"Now's your chance to escape!" said Wimpole to himself. But his limbs would not obey him. A palsy, a terror, had descended upon him. He was aware that Eustace Chasuble came striding like a tree over to him. Chasuble opened his mouth and spoke.

"If it's some more advice about the Large Black Pig you're wanting, sir . . ."

Then suddenly Wimpole found words, or words found Wimpole. He must now and for ever deliver himself from this phantom, even though the phantom had taken to itself so strange and terrible a shape.

"Your book of poems," he cried, "called 'Gangrene and Lilies.' It was me. I wrote the review. My name's Wimpole! Sir, I assure you . . ."

"You!" exclaimed the other. "So you're Wimpole!" Wimpole saw his vast arm shoot through the air towards him like Jove's thunderbolt. He ducked. He found his tiny fingers crushed in a gigantic hand.

"I've been wanting to meet you for years, Mr. Wimpole!" the vast voice boomed. "The only critic who took any notice of my book. Thank you, Mr. Wimpole, thank you! I can't say how grateful I am! Come round to the Pig and Whistle and let me try and tell you! No? Mr. Wimpole, no! I'll take no refusals!" Mr. Wimpole blinked.

UNION'S RIGHT OF NEUTRALITY

Nationalist Leader's Warning.

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Moorreesburg, Cape. South Africans' right of neutrality was stressed by Dr. Malan, the leader of the Cape Nationalist Party, in a speech at Moorreesburg.

He said that if any Government involved South Africa in war because Great Britain was involved, let them remember 1914 and the wave of anti-imperialistic feeling which swept the country. No Government could fly in the face of that, and if it did, South Africa would be a republic in 18 months.

Dr. Malan also said that the present Parliament would go down to history as the "Dead Parliament," but he described the Status Bills as the greatest victory of Nationalism.

Dealing with the agreement between General Hertzog and the Head Committee of the Cape Nationalist Party, Dr. Malan said the passing of the Status Bills did not mean the agreement had been fully carried out. One point of the agreement was that future Governors General of South Africa must be South Africans. — Reuter.

BOMBING OUTRAGE ON P.M.R.

Peking Sends Demand To Chihli.

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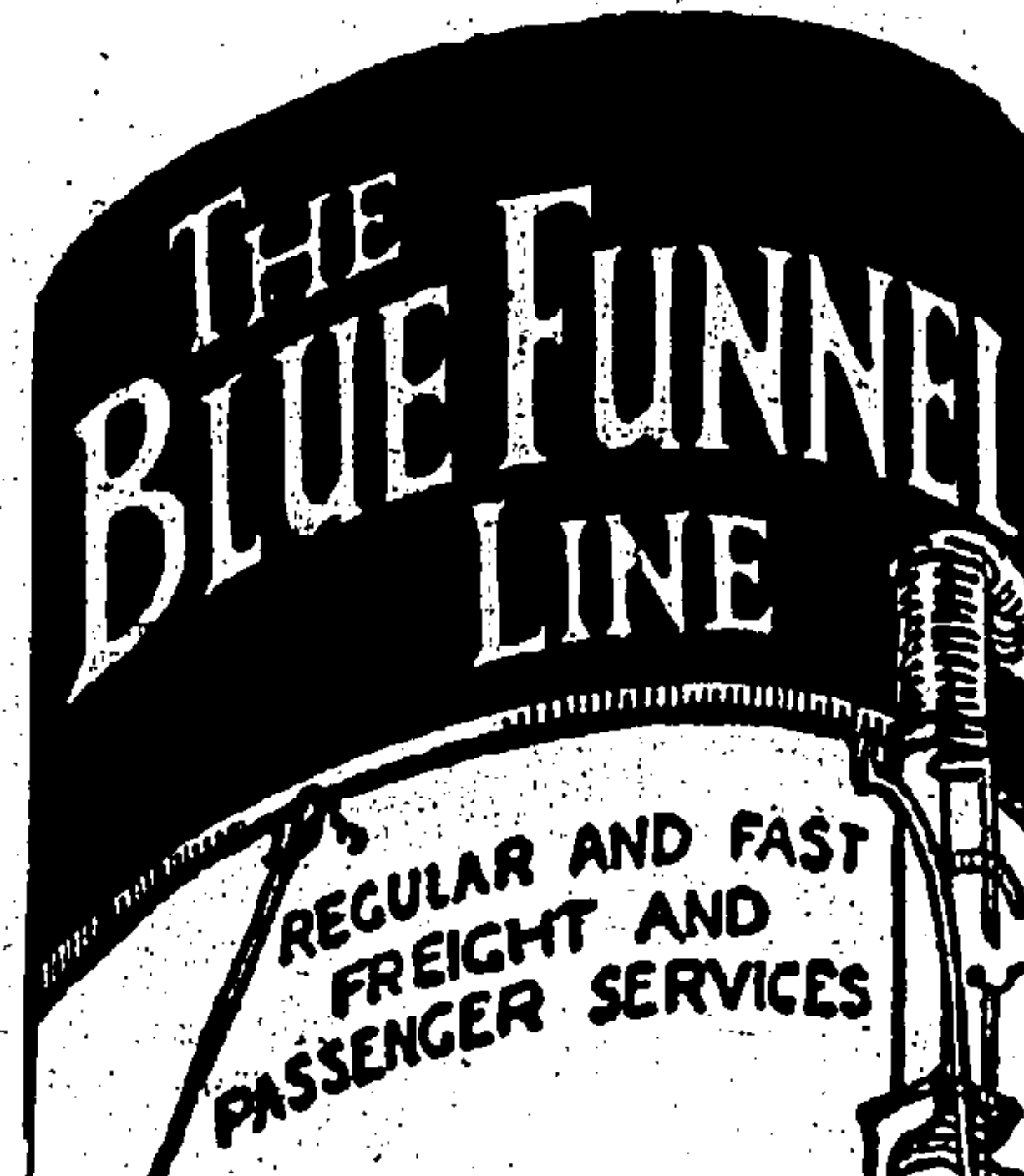
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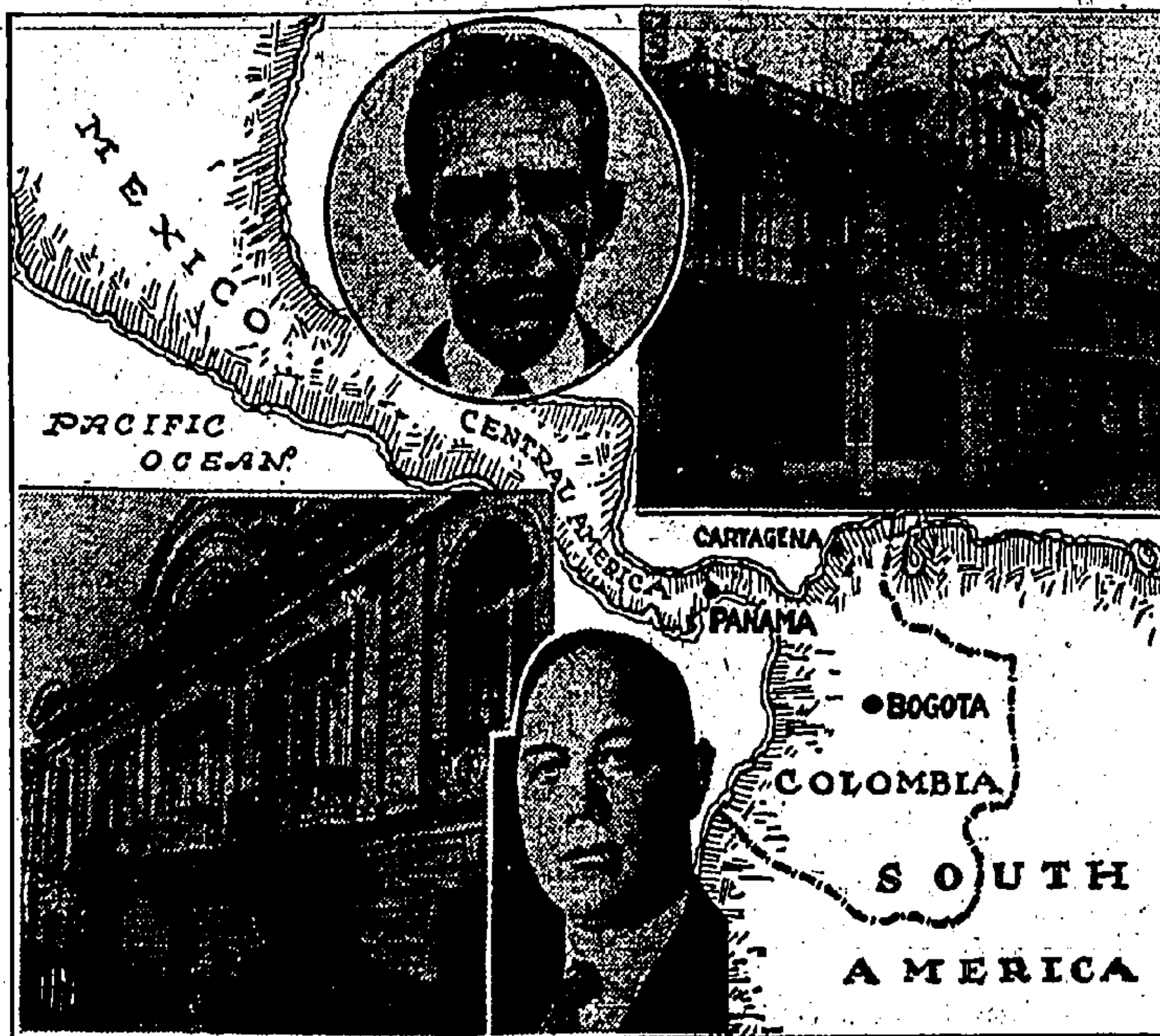
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NELLORE	7,000	4th Oct.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'hama.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	4th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
SANTHA	8,000	5th Oct.	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
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Heads of two Latin-American states received visits from President Roosevelt as he toured the American possessions in the Atlantic and Pacific. The cruise stopped at Cartagena, Colombia, to enable him to see President Herrera who is shown with his palace below. The visit he made on President Arias of Panama, shown at top with his palace, returned the courtesy of a call the latter made at the White House last winter.

"JOHN PHILLIPS" TO BE SCRAPPED

Once Mothered Brood
Of Midshipmen.

35 YEARS OF SERVICE

Portland, (U. S.)
"John J. Phillips, bark, 905
net tons, built at Bath, 1899, sold
for scrapping," was the drab eu-
logy marking the end of the first
ship which passed through the
Gatun locks of the Panama canal.
Originally the bark Chesapeake,
named in honour of the
1812 frigate, the vessel mothered
broods of Annapolis midship-
men for 10 years and later was
motherhood for a submarine flo-
tilla.

The bark was launched on
June 20, 1899 and christened by
Ellis Bradford, daughter of Rear
Admiral Bradford who then was
chief of the navy's equipment
bureau.

Commissioned as station ship
for midshipmen, she once knew
the tread of many youths who
later rose in naval councils. In
1905 her name was changed to
the U. S. S. Severn.

With a length of 175 feet and
a canvas spread of 10,775 square
feet, the bark carried four six-
pounders, two one-pounders and
six four-inch rapid fire guns.

The navy decided in 1910 that
future admirals needed no train-
ing in sail and the Severn went
to sea as duty tender to the sub-
marine division of the Atlantic
torpedo fleet and in 1914 was
transferred to the Canal Zone in
the same category.

The bark was dropped from
the navy list in 1916 and sold.
Then in 1920 she became the
John J. Phillips, acting as a float-
ing ware-house in Philadelphia
harbour.

Now she has gone the way of
the other sailing ships, and blow
torches will cut her steel hull.

LEVIATHAN LOSES ON FIRST TRIP.

\$134,000 Deficit

The United States liner Levia-
than recently completed at a
loss of \$134,000, the first of five
round-trip voyages to Europe re-
quired by government for this
year. The loss was the Levia-
than's largest under private
ownership, exceeding by \$54,000
an amount the owners guaran-
teed to set aside, toward a new
and more economical ship, for
each voyage the Leviathan
might be spared.

Faced with the necessity of
going through with the remain-
ing four voyages, the Roosevelt
Steamship Line was unable to
receive assurance from the Post-
office Department that a larger
share of foreign mail would be
diverted to the Leviathan.

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100TH YEAR PASSED BY RICKMERS LINE

Romance Of Famous
Shipbuilders.

WAR LOSSES RECALLED

Messrs. Rickmers, represented
to-day by the Rickmers Line,
which has since 1910 owned and
run a shipping line to the Far
East, celebrated their 100th an-
niversary on June 15.

On that day, in the year 1834,
R. C. Rickmers, a descendant of
a sea-faring family that had for
centuries dwelt in Heligoland,
started a small boat-building
yard at Bremerhaven.
By dint of steady and perse-
vering labours the founder was
enabled, two years later, to open
a larger shipyard, which repeat-
edly underwent enlargements at
short intervals, until finally, in
the year 1857, after the lapse of
only 23 years, it resulted in a
shipyard of the highest degree.

Build Sailing Ships

The sailing-ship built by R. C.
Rickmers, and later on by his
sons Peter and Andreas, could be
classed among the proudest pro-
ducts of German ship-building.
The Rickmers Yard produced
many quick sailing-ships which
in their time were able to out-
do even the most famous of the
American tea-clippers.

Of the vessels launched later
from the Rickmers Yard the
Lloyd training ships Herzogin
Sophie Charlotte and Herzogin
Cecilie, the Belgian training
ship L'Avenir and the auxiliary
sailer R. C. Rickmers caused a
perfectly justifiable sensation;
the first three on account of
their splendid achievements in
sailing, the last mentioned be-
cause of her size and construc-
tion.

Activities Expanded

Already in the year 1842 the
scope of R. C. Rickmers' activi-
ties had been extended to include
the shipping business, which in
later years was developed more
and more, concentrating in ever-
increasing measure upon the Far
East. From the commencement
of the seventies, too, the firm
shared on a large scale in the
rice business, in which during
the following decades she also
took a leading part.

Family Quarrels Many

The era of the third genera-
tion opened with inglorious quar-
rels within the extensive family,
owing to which, at times, the de-
velopment of the firm was some-
times hampered, and even her
very existence threatened; until
at last Paul Rickmers, one of the
grandsons of the founder, took
the management of both the ship-
yard and the shipping business
into his own hands, restoring
both branches of the business to
renewed greatness within the
course of but a few years.

He relinquished tramp ship-
ping in favour of regular line
services, established the Rick-
mers-Siberian Line, which was
afterwards converted into the
East Asia Line, and then parti-
cipated in the line services to the

RAT-PROOF SHIPS

Proposal By Chamber
Of Shipping.

INEXPENSIVE SCHEME

A committee, appointed by the
Chamber of Shipping of the Un-
ited Kingdom and the Liverpool
Steamship Owners' Association,
has drawn up a report on how
to make a ship "less habitable to
rats without serious expense."

The presence of rats is bound
to cause damage to cargo, wast-
age of stores and annoyance to
passengers, and to be rid of them
undoubtedly has a cash value to
the shipowner, the report says.
It recommends that "ratproof-
ing" should be carried out at
the time a ship is built as this
is a more effective and cheaper
way.

Many British ships, the report
adds, have been more or less rat-
proofed with very successful re-
sults, and the Committee believe
that the standard of rat-proofing
now recommended, coupled with
active administration on the
part of the crew, will result in
any ship so built being compara-
tively free from rats throughout
her life.

The report remarks that if
owners incur the trouble and ex-
pense involved in making ships
rat proof, the port authorities on
their side should maintain their
ports reasonably free from rats.
The proposals of the Commit-
tee contained in a schedule, have
for their object the elimination
of all unnecessary places where
rats can hide and breed in peace,
and of preventing the access of
rats to those that cannot be elim-
inated.

Black Sea

So well did these enterprises
flourish that, about the middle of
the year 1914, the Rickmers
Company was running a fleet of
26 steamers with a total ton-
nage of 200,000 tons, including
new and chartered vessels, as
compared with 5 steamers with
a tonnage of about 30,000 tons in
the year 1910.

World War Losses

This new and remarkable de-
velopment of the firm was in-
terrupted by the advent of the
Great War, which brought heavy
losses for the Rickmers Line,
just as it did for all other Ger-
man overseas shipping.

In the year 1919 the firm did
not possess a single ship. The
again under the able manage-
ment of Paul Rickmers, came a
period of slow but sure recon-
struction. True, the shipyard at
Bremerhaven was closed down
voluntarily in the year 1924,
just before the great collapse of
the German ship-building indus-
try, in order to concentrate the
full powers of the firm on the
shipping business.

The Rickmers Line was the
first German firm to show her
flag in Eastern water. After the
war today she once more stands
well in the front rank of German
overseas shipping, with a fully
unimpaired fleet of about 60,000
tons.

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MILLIONS INVOLVED

It is reported that in April the
Mitsubishi Shipbuilding and En-
gineering Company will take
over the Mitsubishi Aircraft
Company. The Mitsubishi Ship-
building Company has its prin-
cipal yards at Nagasaki and
Kobe.

The company is the largest of
its kind in Japan and the oldest
private dockyard in the Empire.
It has built the largest merchant
liners and warships of any yard
in Japan (Asama Maru and Tat-
suta Maru of 17,500 gross tons
and the superdreadnaught Tosa
of 40,000 displacement tons,
scrapped by the Washington
Treaty).

The firm is capitalized at 50
million yen of which 30 million
yen is paid up.

The Mitsubishi Aircraft Com-
pany builds all types of air-
planes, both of its own and
foreign design. The principal
factory is at Nagoya.

The paid-up capital is 10 mil-
lion yen. The capital of the
Mitsubishi Shipbuilding Com-
pany will be increased by the
merger to 60 million yen, of
which 40 million yen will be
paid up. It is understood that
the amalgamation will be on the
bases of one to two shares.
Mr. Koshiro Shiba, at present
the Chairman of the Board of
both companies, will occupy the
same position in the amalgama-
ted concern.

FAMINE MENACE IN CHEKIANG.

Inevitable Following
Drought.

Famine is believed to be inevi-
table in Chekiang as the result of
the drought according to Chinese
investigations which report that 60
districts are seriously affected in
that province. The authorities
are taking steps to provide for
possible famine conditions.

Cinema Notes

(Continued from Page 3)

"DAVID HARUM"—MAJESTIC THEATRE

"David Harum," produced by the
Fox Film Company at the request
of the American public, as the
finest role for Will Rogers, the
philosophic comedy star, is the
current feature picture at the
Majestic Theatre.

The picture, adapted from the
novel by Edward Noyes Westcott
and directed by James Cruze, deals
with a shrewd American horse
trader, who has a reputation of us-
ing uncanny methods to outwit
others in business dealings, mak-
ing himself hated by all those who
come into contact with him. There
was only one young man who un-
derstood him, that he really had a
soft heart, and that his hard-
ness was only for those who deal
unfairly.

Other members of the cast in-
clude Louise Dresser, Evelyn Ven-
able, Kent Taylor, Stepin Fetchit,
Noah Beery, Roger Imhof, Frank
Melton, Charles Middleton, Sarah
Padden and Lillian Stuart.

"WILD WOMEN OF BORNEO"— CENTRAL THEATRE

Edgar Eugene Eben, the adven-
turer and traveller, presents his
rare and realistic film "Wild
Women of Borneo" now showing
at the Central Theatre.
Mr. Eben, at the head of an ex-
pedition, travelled 15,000 miles
into the heart of Borneo to take
the shots for this picture, making
one of the greatest exploration
trips undertaken in modern times.
The picture shows primitive
Borneo in conflict.

MARTIAL LAW AT TANGSHAN

Sequel To Outbreak
Of Crime.

Martial law has been enforced in
Tangshan by the Chinese police
following the repeated occurrence
of kidnappings and robberies in the
district. It was reported that a
group of bandits had secretly ar-
rived in the city.

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SENATORS LOSE MANAGER

Joe Cronin Struck In Face By Ball.

U. S. BASEBALL RESULTS

New York, To-day.
Manager Joe Cronin, of the Washington Senators, 1933 American League champions, was struck in the face by a ball hit by Higgins in the major league match against the Philadelphia Athletics yesterday. The Athletics won by an 8 to 2 tally.

Four double-header games were played. The New York Yankees defeated Boston White Sox twice, Lou Gehrig hitting two circuit clouts in one game; and Detroit Tigers trounced the Cleveland Indians in both games.

The National League game which resulted in a win for the Chicago Cubs by 7 runs to 1 over the St. Louis Cardinals yesterday was the playoff of the game played on July 2, when the score was 7-4 in favour of Chicago.

The Cardinals are protesting against the umpire's ruling in a certain phase of the game on July 2, but yesterday's game started at the seventh inning with the score as it was at the end of the sixth on July 2. The Cubs yesterday outscored the Cardinals by 2 to 0, the detailed scores including the legal part of the July 2 game, plus today's play-off figures.

Results, as cabled by Reuter, were:

National League

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Pittsburgh	7	17	2
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Cincinnati	5	8	4
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Game went to 11 innings.

Pittsburgh	4	9	4
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Cincinnati	6	12	1
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St. Louis	2	6	1
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Chicago	7	12	2
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Grim hit a homer.			
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St. Louis	1	5	2
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Chicago	7	13	2
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New York	1	10	8
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Boston	4	8	2
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Whitney hit a homer.			
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Philadelphia	4	14	1
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Brooklyn	2	9	2
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American League

Boston	2	3	3
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Roy Johnson hit a homer.			
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New York	11	14	0
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Lou Gehrig (2) and Saltzger hit homers.			
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Boston	1	5	1
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New York	2	13	1
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Detroit	7	12	2
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Cleveland	9	15	1
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Vosmick hit a homer.			
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Detroit	4	5	0
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Cleveland	2	7	2
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Washington	2	8	2
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Philadelphia	8	10	1
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Coleman hit a homer.			
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Chicago	5	11	1
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St. Louis	2	8	0
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Lai Lin-tai, a Chinese woman, of No. 4 Wing Wah Terrace, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday, after having been bitten by her own dog, which has been sent to Kennedy Town for observation.

EASY FOR AUSTIN

(Continued from Page 1.)

The last set, one of the most desperate ever witnessed on Wimbledon's famous No. 1 court, was featured by long and tense rallies. Perry took the lead at 3-1, but Shields, fighting desperately, levelled the match at 4-all.

PERRY HOLDS LEAD

Perry, however, led at 9-8, and at 10-9.

A brilliant effort on the part of the American gave him the next two games to give him the lead for the first time, at 11-10, but he was unable to maintain the pressure, Perry again drawing ahead at 12-11.

From then on the games went with service to 12-11, 13-12, 14-13, when Perry's superior skill and stamina enabled him to break through the American's service to win the set and match at 15-13 to give Britain retention of the trophy.

AUSTIN ROUTS WOOD

Compared with the duel between Perry and Shields the final match, between Bunny Austin and Sydney Wood, contained few thrills.

Austin outmanoeuvred and outplayed Wood, who was incapable of dealing with the British player's accurate driving from the corners.

Austin only dropped one set to the American, recording easy victories in the other three.

America Win Trophy Eleven Times.

BRITAIN'S SEVEN TRIUMPHS

America have won the Davis Cup on eleven occasions since the trophy was donated in 1900 by Dwight Davis, former Governor-General of the Philippines. While Britain, who won the trophy from France last year for the first time in sixteen years, have had seven triumphs, four of which have been in succession.

The following are the summarised results of all the Challenge Rounds:

1900—U. S. beat Britain 3-0 at Boston

1901—U. S. (unchallenged)

1902—U. S. beat Britain 3-2 at New York

1903—Britain beat U. S. 4-1 at Boston

1904—Britain beat Belgium 5-0 at Wimbledon

1905—Britain beat U. S. 5-0 at Wimbledon

1906—Britain beat U. S. 5-0 at Wimbledon

1907—Australia beat Britain 3-2 at Wimbledon

1908—Australia beat U. S. at Melbourne

1909—Australia beat U. S. 5-0 at Sydney

1910—Australia (unchallenged)

1911—Australia beat U. S. 5-0 at Christchurch N.Z.

1912—Britain beat Australia 3-2 at Melbourne

1913—U. S. beat Britain 3-2 at Wimbledon

1914—Australia beat U. S. 3-2 at New York

1919—Australia beat Britain 4-1 at Sydney

1920—U. S. beat Australasia 5-0 at Auckland N.Z.

1921—U. S. beat Japan 5-0 at New York

1922—U. S. beat Australasia 4-1 at New York

1923—U. S. beat Australia 4-1 at New York

1924—U. S. beat Australia 5-0 at Philadelphia

1925—U. S. beat France 5-0 at Philadelphia

COTTON TAX TO CONTINUE

Cautious Marketing Planned In U.S.

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.

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Washington, To-day.

The Agriculture Adjustment Administration has announced that the existing cotton processing tax of 4.2 cents a pound will remain effective throughout the 1934 and 1935 marketing year.

The pool manager, Mr. Oscar Johnson, states that cotton belonging to the A.A.A. producers' pool would be sold in such a manner as to avoid dumping and disturbing the market.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

DROUGHT-STRICKEN CATTLE.

U.S. Government Buying 5,000 Daily.

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Chicago, To-day.

Progress toward a settlement of the Chicago stockyards strike is reported, whereupon the Government has resumed the daily buying of 5,000 drought-stricken south-west cattle.

The strike, however, has kept the stockyards empty.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

STEEL OUTPUT IN AMERICA.

Bottom Of Decline Not Reached.

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Pittsburg, To-day.

The American Steel Institute is at 26 per cent. of capacity, which is 2 per cent. lower. The industry has not yet reached the bottom of the present decline. It is said that a further reduction is expected, due to the lower automobile production.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

U. S. STEEL CORPORATION DIVIDEND

(Continued from Page 1.)

Production averaged 48 per cent. of capacity from April to June, as compared with 29 per cent. for the preceding quarter, and 27.5 per cent. for the corresponding quarter of last year.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

1926—U. S. beat France 4-1 at Philadelphia

1927—France beat U. S. 3-2 at Philadelphia

1928—France beat U. S. 4-1 at Paris

1929—France beat U. S. 4-1 at Paris

1930—France beat U. S. 3-2 at Paris

1931—France beat Britain 3-2 at Paris

1932—France beat U. S. 3-2 at Paris

1933—Britain beat France 3-2 at Paris

1934—Britain beat U. S. 4-1 at Wimbledon

In 1915, 1916, 1917 and 1918 there were no contests.

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